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TWENTY YEARS TOO LATE

Berlin, Yesterday.
Official comment on the British protest to Germany over the coup in Austria is that "it comes twenty years too late."

The official spokesman added: "Why didn't Britain protest against the disregard of President Wilson's Fourteen Points, which, inter alia, guaranteed the self-determination of peoples?"

The protest, he said, may have "formal importance" but it lacks "moral justification."—Reuter.

Mr. Attlee Visits Downing Street

London, Yesterday.

At the conclusion of this morning's 100-minute Cabinet meeting an official statement was issued from Downing Street stating:

"The Cabinet discussed the events in Austria, and it was reported that a protest in very strong terms was made in Berlin. The Prime Minister and the Foreign Secretary had previously made similar representations to Herr von Ribbentrop, the German Foreign Minister."

"It was felt that the German Government's action was bound to have a most disturbing effect on Anglo-German relations and upon public confidence throughout Europe."

REMAINING IN TOUCH

"The Government is keeping in the closest touch with the French Government, and is giving the situation continuous consideration."

"The Ministers are remaining within reach of London over the week-end, and it is understood that the Cabinet, in any case, will meet again on Monday."

MR. ATTLEE CALLED IN

Immediately after the Cabinet meeting Mr. Clement Attlee, Labour Opposition leader, visited the Foreign Office and consulted with Lord Halifax on the situation for forty-five minutes.

Herr von Ribbentrop is still in London, while Mr. Neville Chamberlain has gone to Chequers.—Reuter.

EARL OF PERTH RESUMES TALKS

Rome, Yesterday.

The Earl of Perth, British Ambassador in Rome, had an interview with the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Ciano, this morning, which was cordial.

It is understood the talks which started on Thursday are being continued.—Reuter.

"In the blue sky, the German air army."

GERMAN TROOPS' FORCED MARCH TO BRENNER PASS

Giant Bombing Planes Roar Over Vienna All Day

GERMANY REJECTS FRANCO-BRITISH NOTES OF PROTEST

GIANT BOMBING PLANES, CARRYING SWASTIKA MARKINGS, FLYING LOW OVER VIENNA ALL DAY LONG . . . A RAPID FORCED MARCH OF GERMAN TROOPS RIGHT ACROSS AUSTRIA TO THE BRENNER PASS ON THE ITALIAN FRONTIER . . . THE REJECTION BY THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT OF THE BRITISH AND FRENCH PROTESTS AGAINST THE NAZI COUP

These were the highlights of yesterday's dramatic developments in Central Europe.

Reliable correspondents report that German aeroplanes in hundreds participated in the demonstrations in all parts of Austria.

High German officials, including Herr Himmler, the Chief of the Nazi Secret Police, have assembled in Vienna, where Herr Rudolf Hess is in virtual control, with Dr. Zeiss-Inquart.

Herr Hitler has crossed the Austrian border to his native village.

German troops are already in occupation of every key point in Austria. The country is today a Nazi State and part of the German Reich.

AN UNCEASING STREAM

Seefeld (The Tyrol),

Yesterday.
Trans-Ocean's special correspondent accompanied the German troops as they poured into the Tyrol this morning.

At Mitterwald, the last German village before the frontier, the correspondent joined the 98th Alpine Regiment and thousands of Storm Troops.

In endless columns, company after company, fully equipped with packhorses and mules, they marched toward the border, with the colours of the regiment borne at the head of the column.

Shortly after 8 o'clock the advance detachment, commanded by a Lieutenant, crossed the border near Scharnitz.

"HEIL HITLER"

The Austrian customs guards and gendarmes greeted the German soldiers with the Hitler salute and shouted "Heil Hitler."

At Scharnitz, the first Austrian village, the population waved swastika flags as the German troops entered. Swastika flags and the Austrian red-white-red flag were hung on every house.

On to Seefeld, the first big town in the Tyrol and a well-known skiing resort, the first detachment of Austrian troops reported to the German commander, and then joined the German column in its march to Innsbruck.

UNCEASING STREAM

Another Trans-Ocean correspondent at Scharnitz reports that German troops have been passing through the town in an unceasing stream all day on the way to Linz, capital of Upper Austria.

Some hours after the first German troops had entered



General Keitel, Chief of the German General Staff since the Hitler reorganization coup of February 4.

Austria, a German mechanized detachment reached the Italo-Austrian frontier on the Brenner Pass at Gries, where they took up positions before the customs barrier. The officer commanding the

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Two German Squadrons Land At Linz

Innsbruck, Yesterday.

German troops entered Innsbruck this morning.

From Linz it is reported that two German air squadrons have landed there.—Reuter.

In spite of the strong undercurrent of excitement, Linz is outwardly quiet.

"I HAVE TRIED IN THE LAST YEARS TO WARN AUSTRIA'S LEADERS."--Herr Hitler.

BERLIN, YESTERDAY.

HERR HITLER TO-DAY MADE HIS FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT ON THE NAZI COUP IN AUSTRIA. A SUMMARY OF HIS PROCLAMATION, WHICH WAS READ BY THE PROPAGANDA MINISTER, DR. JOSEPH GOEBBELS, SAYS:

"Since this morning, soldiers of the German army have been marching over the Austro-German frontier. Tank corps, infantry divisions and Storm Troop units on the ground, and in the blue sky the German air army, will be the guarantee summoned by the new National-Socialist Government in Vienna that the Austrian people be given within the shortest possible time an opportunity to decide their own fate by a real plebiscite."

"Six million people in Austria have been oppressed by the most brutal means. I have tried in the last years to warn the Austrian leaders."

"If to-day, solving colonial questions depends on the self-determination of the inferior nations in question, it is intolerable that 6,500,000 members of a great and old nation have, through their regime, been virtually placed under the same regime."

"I myself, as Leader and Chancellor of the German people, will be happy to be able to enter the land which is my home once more as a German and a free citizen." The proclamation concluded: "Long Live National-Socialist German-Austria."—Reuter.

Mystery Surrounds Fate Of Dr. Schuschnigg

London, Yesterday.

Some mystery seems to exist as to the fate of Dr. Schuschnigg. A Paris message says it is learned from Vienna that the ex-Chancellor has been arrested, but another message from Vienna says that nothing is "officially" known of the whereabouts of the members of the former Government, including Dr. Schuschnigg.

It is believed, however, that they are still in Vienna.

Dr. Schuschnigg is reported to be under guard in Vienna and to be discussing what country he will go to. It is believed that a safe conduct has been offered to him.

It is officially announced that the Fatherland Front has been dissolved and many of its members arrested.—Reuter.

Czech Cabinet Session

Prague, Yesterday.

The special meeting of the Czech-Slovakian Cabinet met late last night and continued till the early hours of this morning under the chairmanship of the Premier, Dr. Hodza.

The Czech Government is still in continuous communication with its diplomatic representatives in the European capitals.

A semi-official statement this morning said that events in Austria will not lead to Czechoslovakia abandoning the prudent policy hitherto followed by her.

In this connection, foreign press reports of the supply of arms by Prague to the Austrian Socialists, are strongly denied, since for some days past there

HERR HITLER SENDS COURIER TO IL DUCE

Rome, Yesterday.

It is now announced that a special envoy late yesterday afternoon brought Signor Mussolini a letter from Herr Hitler informing the Duce of Germany's intentions in connection with Austria.

A Foreign Office spokesman stated that "this will dispose of the ill-intentioned rumour circulating abroad that Italy was not informed in advance of yesterday's events."

Authoritative circles state that the coming into power of the Nazis in Austria has been considered inevitable for some time, and had become a necessity.

The Schuschnigg Government, they say, had never made any request of Italy regarding the plebiscite.

Meanwhile, Rome is maintaining contact with Berlin.—Reuter.

FINAL PHASE

Rome, Yesterday.

A statement issued by the semi-official Stefani news agency is generally regarded here as reflecting the present official Italian attitude towards Austria.

After describing events in the large Austrian towns, the statement declares: "Yesterday's events must be regarded as the final phase of a movement which has been preparing for a long time, and which has now realised its object."

"It is entirely in keeping with the logical and unavoidable course of events."—Trans-Ocean.

ROME'S CONSENT

Rome, Yesterday.

The Italian press now states that the Italian Government consented to the developments in Austria, and says that the Rome-Berlin axis has in no way been influenced by the events of the past few days.—Trans-Ocean.

has been severe control of the Austro-Czech border in order to prevent any smuggling of arms into Austria.—Trans-Ocean.

HERR HITLER IN AUSTRIA

Berlin, Yesterday.

Herr Hitler left Berlin by plane to-day for an unknown destination.

Later, an official announcement stated: "General Goering is appointed to represent Herr Hitler during his absence from Berlin which has been made necessary by events."

It is officially learned that Herr Hitler flew to Munich and later left by car for Braunau, his Austrian birthplace.—Reuter.

HITLER AT BRAUNAU

Vienna, Yesterday.

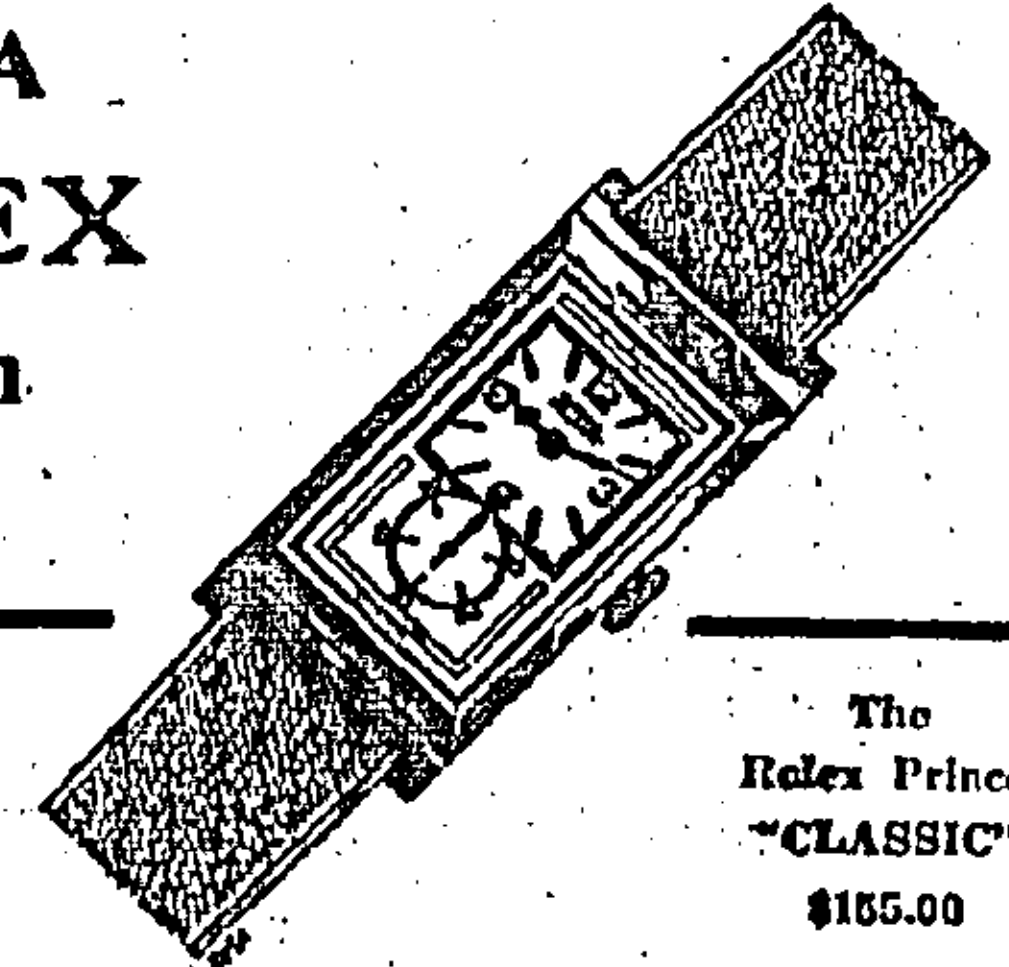
Herr Hitler arrived this afternoon by car at Braunau, on the River Inn, in Austria, from Munich.

Braunau, which is close to the Bavarian frontier, is Herr Hitler's birthplace and his parents are buried there.

The Fuehrer is expected to proceed to Salzburg later, but no official information is yet forthcoming concerning his plans.—Trans-Ocean.

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That Saving Make-up Magic Grace

ECONOMY, while it is an inevitable companion for so many, provides a subject on which it is almost impossible for two individuals to agree.

No, not even when those two are husband and wife.

Most wives believe that their husbands' pet forms of saving are false economies, and quite a number of men cherish a usually secret and generally wrong impression that they could show their womenfolk a thing or two in the way of saving on the housekeeping.

Fact is it is almost impossible in the first place to draw a dividing line between necessities and luxuries.

Many a girl wage-earner cuts down on her dinners in order to buy a new hat.

You may think she is wrong, but perhaps a certain standard of clothing is essential either to give her assurance or ensure the success in business without which she would be unable to buy any dinners anyway.

Even when it comes to household management there can be no hard and fast rule.

Food budgets drawn up by experimental experts are always apt to be misleading. They usually assume purchase in the cheapest market, but the housewife knows that pence spent on

bus fares or on shoe leather (to say nothing of weariness and waste of time) cannot be compensated for by saving a few pence on purchase.

Then, almost invariably, such budgets fail to take into account actual cost of fuel in cooking, and as for the housewife's time, the value of that is overlooked altogether.

They assume that it is always more economical to buy large quantities; so it is, but only where means permit and storage makes this possible.

Generally speaking, cereals, cleansing materials, and things like beans, tapioca and house-

By
Maud Dawson

hold soap can be far more economically purchased in large quantities.

Here are two recipes, the first one economical in cost, the second saving time as well as pence.

The first is a little three-course meal for five people. You will need 1lb. minced beef, 3lb. tomatoes, a few carrots and potatoes, 1lb. or a small tin of green peas, onion and soup greens, such as celery, turnip, 1½ pints milk, 1½oz. semolina, one dessertspoonful cocoa, sugar to sweeten.

Boil the potatoes and the peas separately. Strain and put vegetables aside for a moment. Make up the strained liquor to 1½ pints and use for the tomato soup as follows:

Scrape and wash carrots, clean soup greens such as stalk of celery, peel onion. Put all into the vegetable liquor and boil for 30 minutes. Strain and add the tomatoes, previously scalded and skinned and passed through a mincer, add salt and pepper to taste, and a saltspoonful of sugar. Bring to the boil.

Add one dessertspoonful of corn-flour dissolved in cold water, half a pint of milk boiled separately before adding. This prevents curdling.

Simmer for ten minutes, and serve with thin strips of toast.

For your second course, take the onion which was boiled with the soup, chop finely, add to the minced beef, soak a slice of white bread without crust in cold water and add without squeezing. Pepper and salt to season.

Mix all together well and form into small balls. Put half a tencupful of water or stock in a stewpan, bring to boil, and put in the meat balls.

Stew gently for 30 minutes, adding a few tablespoonfuls of water if necessary.

While the meat is cooking cream the potatoes and arrange in a ring on a hot dish. Place the meat balls with their gravy in the centre, dice the carrots and arrange in alternate heaps with the green peas as border. Place the whole dish in the oven to heat through.

Now for the final course—Chocolate Soufflé. Put remaining three-quarters of a pint of milk to boil with the semolina, reserving a little to dissolve with the cocoa. Cook all gently together till done, about 20 to 30 minutes, stirring frequently unless you use a double saucepan—better but longer.

Sweeten and stir in well-beaten yolk of two eggs. Cook for a minute longer, and at the last whip in stiffly-beaten whites. Heap into individual glasses and serve, adding a few blanched and shredded almonds if you like. They will improve both appearance and flavour.

And here's the time-saver, easily prepared beforehand if you want to get on with wash-

VIOLET DOAN TELLS OF

Make-up Magic

IF it is the season of parties and reunions, the time of all others when you want to look your very best.

That is why I have chosen this week to talk to you about "make-up."

Keynote is naturalness. Says an artist: "It is the criterion of art to appear natural without really being natural; as such, each art must have its real technique and its bag of tricks."

I want to give you both.

YOUR aim must be to emphasize your best features and subdue whatever is unattractive. That is why, before you go any farther, you must first study your features in the mirror with a candid and critical eye.

Whatever you use—foundation, rouge, lip-stick, eye-shadow and powder—must be blended with an art which conceals art, a harmonious

effect of colour, highlights and shadows with no obviously made lines.

Rouge and lip-stick must match in shade. Eye-shadow must harmonize with colour of eyes and general make-up.

Powder and powder-base should match or be just one shade darker than your natural skin colour—take the pigmentation in the hollow of your neck as a guide.

A GOOD foundation will protect your skin from the grimy atmosphere. It needs to be a little greasy so that the paste rouge will blend smoothly.

Paste rouge is not so drying to the skin and looks far more natural.

I have not space here to go into details for various types, but the majority of types look better with a touch of rouge.

Rouge should be applied and blended from the highest point of a smiling cheek. Apply with your index finger in upward strokes. If you have a narrow face, blend it well back on the cheeks up to the temple. This carries the line of vision across, making your face appear wider.

Never rouge in the hollow just in front of your ears. Broad or fat face should be rouged closer and lower.

DO not rouge a prominent cheek-bone—rouge just below or in the back of it, blending very faintly over and around. Do not rouge in the hollow or it will accentuate a deeper shadow.

After a woman is 30 rouge should be blended very lightly up to the lower eyelid. This conceals little fine lines, shadows and puffs, and gives an amazingly youthful look to the eyes.

To give a sagging face an uplift, rouge faintly on sides and under chin. Double chin may be subdued by a delicate strip of rouge under them, too, and a long face shortened by gently rouging the chin.

Always let your rouge taper off to natural skin tones and, remember, no sharp lines.

Such Sauce

Some call it Senior Wrangler Sauce, which sounds high falutin'. To others it is Brandy Butter Sauce, which sounds luscious and luxurious. To its familiar friends it is just Hard Sauce. But whatever you call it it is still the best possible sauce for a Christmas pudding.

It makes the so-so pudding taste excellent and transforms the good pudding into a dream of gastronomic delight.

Cream four good tablespoonfuls butter, add gradually two level tablespoonfuls castor sugar until mixture is light and frothy. Then add a suspicion of nutmeg and either half a teaspoonful of vanilla essence or lemon juice or a tablespoonful of brandy or rum. Keep in a cool place before serving.

Bake in a good oven till potatoes are well browned, and add a spot of water while cooking if the rice looks dry.

For your second course soak dried prunes and dried apricots, and put in the oven in a casserole or covered pan.

YOU have made presents for your friends, now make one for yourself—a smart little swing-back swapper hat.

ing or spring-cleaning. Peel one and a half pounds of large potatoes and cut in half lengthwise. Thoroughly wash one tencupful of rice and put into a large baking-dish. Grate an onion and add to the rice with one and a half to two pints of water, and a teaspoonful of beef extract. Sprinkle salt and pepper to taste. Lay the potatoes on top and dot with two tablespoonfuls of dripping in small bits.

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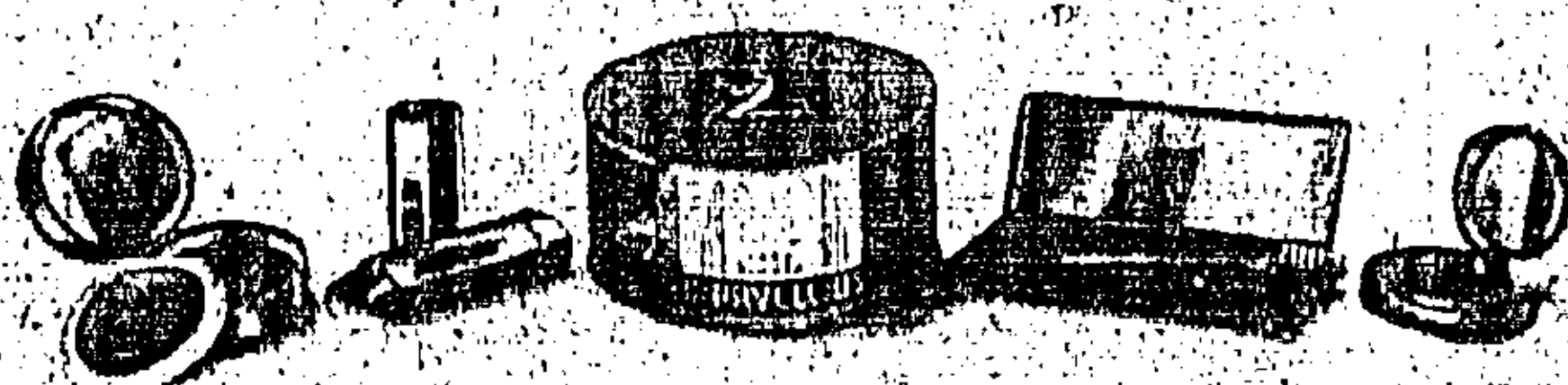
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ONE THING & ANOTHER

MANY of you, I fear, will never read these words at hold your cigarette lighter too all, for you will be in that state in near the face of a guest after he which the very thought of follow- or she has had more than eleven ing the printed word brings pain. doubles.

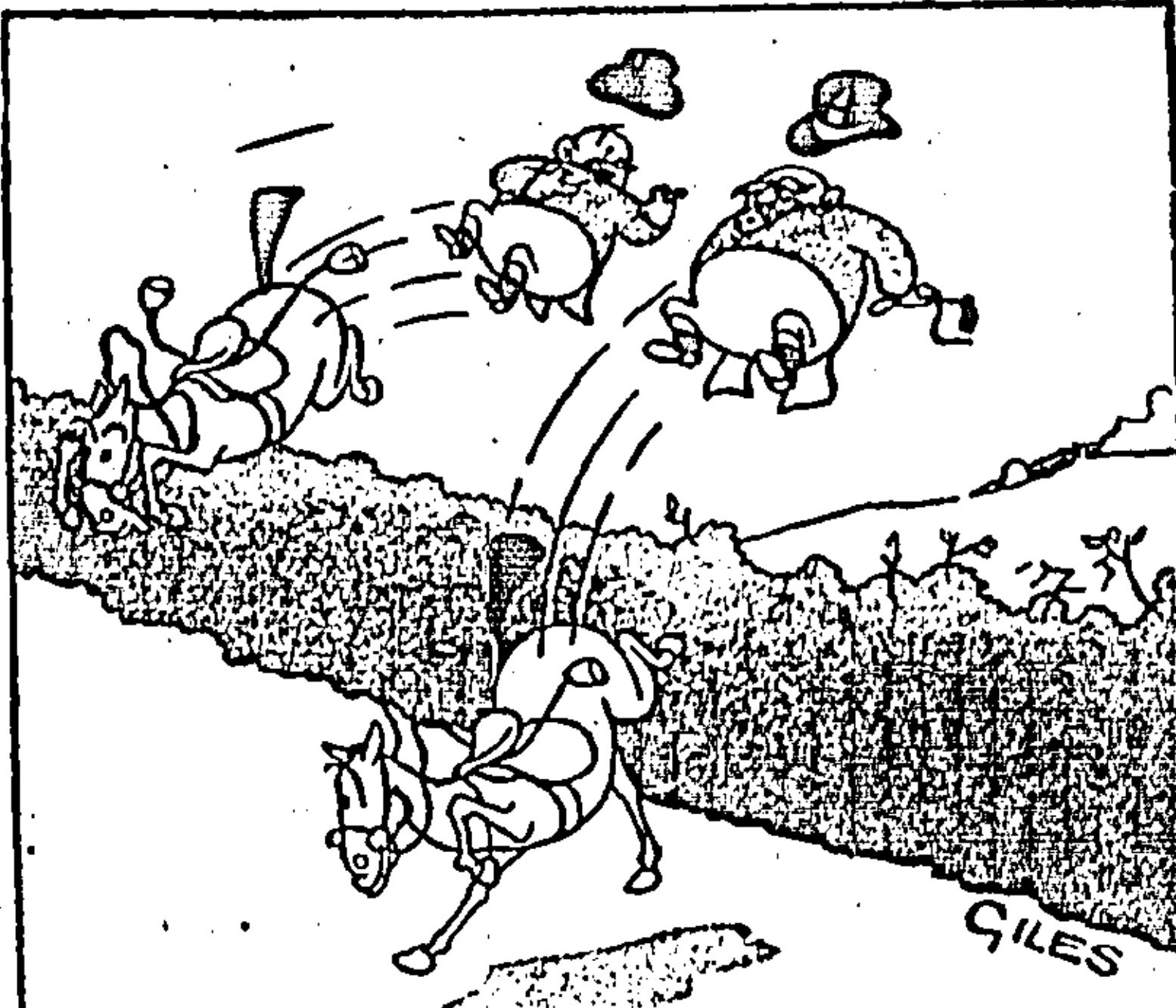
To such I would say, with Ten- If, however, any guest should be unavoidably ignited, dial 90.

"Birdie, rest a little longer, Till the little wings are "BILL To Prevent Snowball stronger,"

and I would add, that if I couldn't paper.

carry it better than that, I'd go Presumably least some M.P., ma-

off the stuff altogether. gistrate, banker, bishop, or other



"Got a match?"

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mitten.

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mad in your eye!

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cents.

NEWSPAPERS have published

a warning to people not to

light cigarettes while wearing

false beards, as the material is

often highly inflammable.

important person should get a wet neck or his hat knocked off, and the dignity and prestige of Britain be lowered in the eyes of the world.

MIGHT as well bung in a spot

of foreign news, though no

decent Christian man cares what's

going on outside.

"Earthquake In Tokyo," says :

headline.

Apology from honourable Earth

will follow shortly.

My old friend Reuter, who

seems to get about quite a lot,

tells me that salutes of guns from

the army and navy announced the

birth of Princess Juliana's baby.

They were to fire 101 shots for

a prince and 51 for a princess.

This is another example of the

lack of sex equality. Why should

a boy have to put up with more

noise than a girl does? It's a

hard world for men.

THE following have arrived:

Before he's married a man

yearns for a woman. From then

on the "y" is silent, as in "dough."

If all the boarders in all the

boarding-houses were placed side

by side at a table, they'd still

reach.

(The above may be thrown off

at parties as if original. A small

fee will be charged for their use.)

AND now someone has pushed

this in at the foot of the col-

umn:—

"So, white as the glistening

snow

You come to us, and quickly, go.

We swallow you in one eager

draught,

And the final cup is quaffed.

Hail, Soda Biscarb!"

Words follow: "The Day After."

A SURVEY of students' opin-

ions at Yale University re-

veals that their ideal girl is a

brunette of medium height, inclin-

ed to slimness but not thin, able

to dance, smoke, and drink two

cocktails at a sitting, but no more.

This is good for trade. I'm told

that enormous activity has result-

ed in the hairdressing and dyeing

trades in consequence of the sud-

den determination of millions of

blondes to de-blonde.

Now comes a rumour that some-

one has been doing statistics, and

has discovered that the average

American only drinks .000017

cocktails at a sitting. Purveyors

of gin; vermouth, and other stimu-

lants are therefore, preparing a

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never said it. No father ever

says "wed." He daren't. If any

English father ever said to his

daughter, "You may wed now,"

she would say to Mum, "Mum,

what's the matter with Dad?" and

Mum would reply, "I don't know.

It sounds as if he's had a couple."

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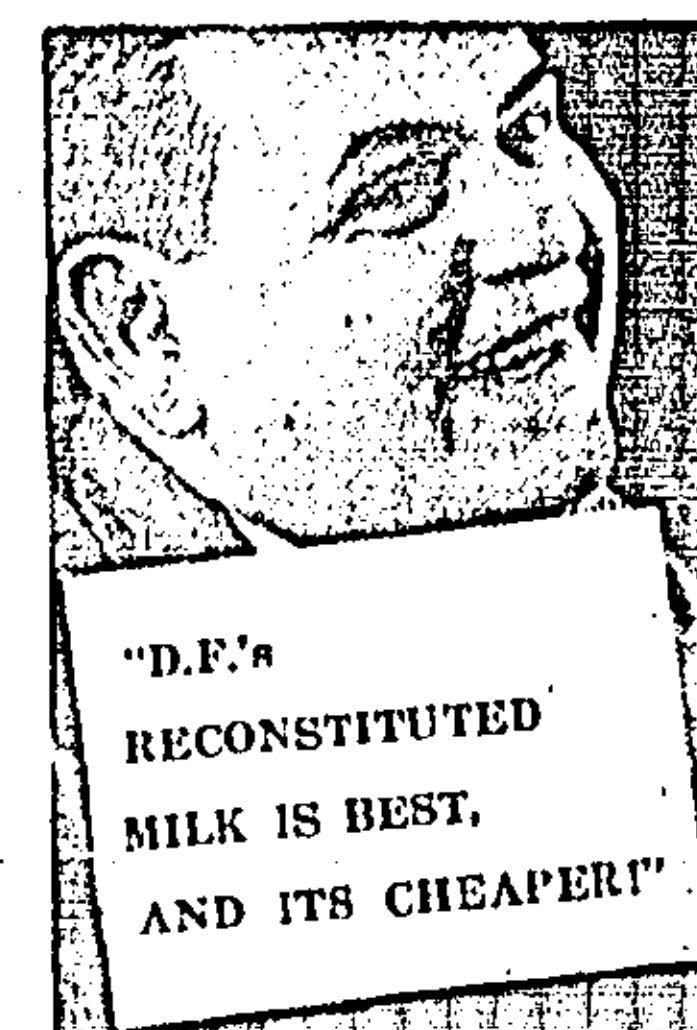
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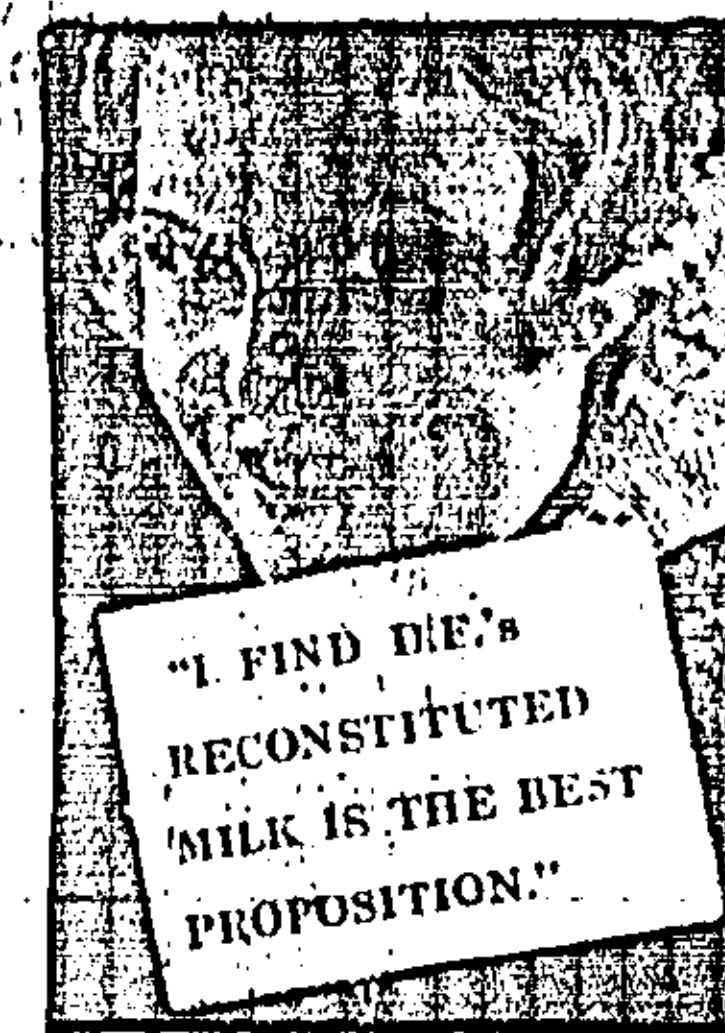


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JAPANESE THREATEN DEATH TO FOREIGN INTRUDERS

SHANGHAI, YESTERDAY.

A THREAT OF SENTENCE OF DEATH, IMPRISONMENT OR DEPORTATION ON FOREIGNERS IN JAPANESE OCCUPIED TERRITORY, WHO HAVE TAKEN OVER PROPERTY FROM CHINESE, HAS BEEN ISSUED BY THE JAPANESE AUTHORITIES.

The threat is described as a warning to individuals participating in deals connected with the transfer of ownership of property owned by Chinese "engaging in hostile acts against the Japanese forces."

The threat states that all persons who have taken over property owned by such Chinese in Japanese occupied territory after August 13, 1937, are reminded that they are liable to be dealt with with the "full severity of the military codes."

NEW TYROL GOVERNMENT

Innsbruck, Yesterday.

A new Tyrol provincial government was formed early this morning, says a semi-official statement, which declares that the Nazi district leader of the Tyrol, Herr Christoph, has been appointed provincial Governor.

Dr. Knoepfler, an Innsbruck lawyer, has been appointed Vice-Governor, while the post of Director of Public Security was taken over by Herr Meissner, and the post of Police President by Dr. Franzelin. — Trans-Ocean.

POURING OVER BORDER

Wels (Austria), Yesterday. German troops have been pouring over the Austro-German frontier at Scharding, some 15 kilometres south of Passau, since 5.30 this morning. — Trans-Ocean.

ALBERTA APPEAL TO PRIVY COUNCIL

Edmonton (Alberta), Yesterday. The Alberta Social Credit Government is appealing to the Privy Council against the decision of the Supreme Court that the proposed legislation by the Alberta Government was unconstitutional. — Reuter.

KAISER'S GRANDSON TO WED

Doorn, Yesterday.

The religious marriage of the ex-Kaiser's grandson, Prince Louis Ferdinand of Prussia, to Princess Kyra of Rumän, will take place here on May 5 in the private chapel of the House of Doorn.

A large number of guests are expected to attend the ceremony. The civil marriage will take place previously in a registry office in Berlin. — Trans-Ocean.

DE VALERA RETURNS TO DUBLIN

LONDON, YESTERDAY. THE EIRE DELEGATION IN THE TALKS WITH ENGLAND RETURNED TO DUBLIN TO-DAY TO CONSULT OTHER MEMBERS OF THE EIRE CABINET REGARDING THE DISCUSSIONS.

The British Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, and the Eire Premier, Mr. Eamon de Valera, had another talk this morning.

They met yesterday morning and later Mr. de Valera talked with the Dominions Secretary, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, for two and a half hours at the Dominions Office. — Reuter.

HUNGARY CLOSING FRONTIER

Budapest, Yesterday. Hungary has closed the frontier leading into Austria in order to prevent an influx of refugees from Austria. — Reuter.

AN UNCEASING STREAM

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German troops presented himself to the officer commanding the Italian frontier garrison. The officers exchanged compliments.

H. Q. ESTABLISHED. The first Austrian provincial capital to be entered was Salzburg, while other detachments reached Innsbruck about noon.

At Innsbruck, the commander of the German detachment established his H. Q. at the Austrian barracks and then drove through the streets to the provincial government buildings, where he called on the new Nazi Governor of the Tyrol.

HUNDREDS OF PLANES. At Linz, after literally hundreds of German air force planes had flown over the city throughout the morning, dropping leaflets greeting the Austrian Nazis, the first Reich troops entered the Upper Austrian capital at 1 o'clock this afternoon. — Trans-Ocean.

Unanimous British Condemnation Of Annexation By Ultimatum

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NEW EQUIPMENT FOR THE BRITISH SOLDIER. A new design in active service clothing for the Army was seen at a demonstration at the Recruiting Office, New Scotland Yard, on March 1. Main features are a deer-stalking pattern cap and a house similar to that worn by the Royal Tank Corps, trousers of ski-ing type buckled at the ankles, and canvas gaiters. The new uniforms are to be issued to units later for trial. Photo shows two of the soldiers in the new uniform. Left is seen a soldier wearing basic equipment with small arm ammunition carriers, and the other has web pouches for Bren gun magazines, grenades, etc. (Copyright, By Air Mail).

Major Claussner's Broadcast Of Triumph

Vienna, Yesterday.

A speech, the tenor of which was triumphant, was delivered over the Vienna radio station this morning by the Austrian Nazi leader, Major Hubert Claussner.

Major Claussner said: "I am deeply moved in announcing at this solemn moment that Austria has become free, Austria has become National-Socialist."

"Raised on high by the confidence of the whole people, a new Government has been formed which is in keeping with the principles of the splendid Nazi movement. The Government will exert every ounce of its strength for the happiness and peace of this land. "Its first task will be to provide work and bread for all. INCOMPARABLE DISCIPLINE. "Once again has the National-Socialist revolution been carried out with incomparable discipline. "If it had been necessary to furnish any further proof that we are entitled to power in this country also, then it was this unique and spontaneous revolution and accession to power. "No-one has been done any harm and for that I and all the German people in Austria are particularly thankful. "At this hour we are deeply grateful to our Fuehrer, Adolf Hitler, whose swastika banners are now fluttering triumphantly over his native land. "We also think with thankfulness of those who have fallen in the fight for Austria, and whose sacrifice has brought victory to our cause. "I appeal to you, German men and women, go to work. We have accomplished our aim — one Leader. Long live our Fuehrer! Heil Hitler!" — Trans-Ocean.

HERR HIMMLER ARRIVES

Vienna, Yesterday. The chief of the German secret police, the Gestapo, Herr Himmler, arrived in Vienna from Munich by plane at 5 o'clock this morning.

He was accompanied by the chief of the German security police, the Storm Troop group leader Herr Heydrich; the chief of the German traffic police, General Daluge; the Storm Troop group leader, Herr Jost; the Storm Troop standard leader, Herr Mueller, and Lt.-Col. Meissner, of the German security police. — Trans-Ocean.

AUSTRIA CONSIDERED AS CEASED TO EXIST

VIENNA, YESTERDAY.

AUSTRIA TO-DAY ENTERS A NEW PHASE OF EXISTENCE AS A NAZI STATE AND PART OF THE GERMAN REICH.

Whatever compromises may be adopted to preserve a form of independence, for example retention of the red-white-red flag alongside the swastika, and of a fully functioning Federal Government, no doubt is felt by competent observers that as a power with an independent foreign policy, Austria has ceased to exist.

The deep concern felt abroad is indicated in despatches from various centres. The French political parties, who yesterday were at daggers drawn, have suddenly sunk their differences.

In Prague, the Czecho-Slovakian Cabinet sat into the early hours, and was constantly interrupted by messengers bringing the latest despatches.

In Budapest the Hungarian Cabinet sat until 1 o'clock this morning, after which it was announced that strict measures would be taken to strengthen the defences on the Hungarian frontier.

CIANO KNEW?

In Rome, it is noteworthy that the communique issued at the conclusion of the meeting of the Fascist Grand Council, contained no mention of international affairs.

It is thought that Count Ciano, the Foreign Minister, must have known what would happen when he addressed the Council the previous day.

Ever since Signor Mussolini's meeting with Dr. Schuschnigg in Venice in April last year there have been signs that Italy would no longer preserve the independence of Austria, and thereby endanger the stability of the Rome-Berlin axis.

LONDON CONDEMNATION

The London "Times" says that this latest and worst demonstration of the methods of German foreign policy can only deepen the suspicions and indignation aroused by the manner in which the Berchtesgaden agreement was negotiated.

It comes when most people hoped that Herr von Ribbentrop's visit to London was giving an opportunity for a new approach to settlement of Anglo-German relations, and it deals a blow to the policy of appeasement by leaving it more than doubtful whether appeasement is possible in a Continent exposed to the visitation of arbitrary force.

HISTORY'S WARNING

Germany and all the world know, and history warns them, that no limit can be set to the consequences of any act which risks a European upheaval.

The "Daily Telegraph" is of the opinion that it would be difficult to find any parallel in modern times to the manner of this onslaught of one state against another.

What is tantamount to annexation by ultimatum at a moment's notice, is a step which cannot be excused or condoned by any canon of international intercourse.

THE LESSON

The "Daily Mail" says that the lesson is "Arm, Arm, Arm" but that Britain must not be involved in a quarrel like this which is no concern of ours.

The "Daily Herald," on the other hand, remarks how easily war will come unless some limit is set to the reign of force.

For example, an "Ultimatum To Prague," "Czech Refusal To Take Orders From Berlin," "Mobilisation," "France Moves." Then the die is cast for us all.

BLUNT TALK

The "News Chronicle" says that the prospect opened up by the Nazi action in Austria is so destructive to civilisation that the time has come to say bluntly that this kind of thing must not, and shall not, be repeated.

The Government have the support of the whole country in the strong protest made to Berlin. — Reuter.

GOEBBELS' VERSION OF EVENTS

Berlin, Yesterday.

The Propaganda Minister, Dr. Joseph Goebbels, himself received foreign newsmen to-day and chatted on the events in Austria.

Dr. Goebbels denied reports that German troops had crossed the border into Austria yesterday evening, and said the first detachments entered Austria at 5.30 this morning.

He also refuted a report that the Zeiss-Inquart telegram asking Germany for military help was an invention. "The telegram exists," Dr. Goebbels said.

Dr. Goebbels also denied that Germany had sent an ultimatum to Austria. He said: "On the contrary, it was members of the Austrian Government who demanded reconstitution of their own Government." — Trans-Ocean.

NERVOUSNESS ON MONEY MARKET

London, Yesterday.

Although outwardly calm, an undercurrent of considerable nervousness is apparent in City circles following the overnight developments in Central Europe.

With the Stock Exchange observing its usual Saturday holiday, it was left to the Foreign Exchange Market to reveal the extent of the prevailing anxiety, where in a session of very lively trading the chief feature was provided by a sharp appreciation of the French franc.

The "spot" rate rallied to 166.00 to the pound sterling compared with 158.25 last night, owing to substantial covering ending formation of the new French Government, together with some repatriation of refugee funds, especially from Switzerland.

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On the other hand, the American dollar, as a currency far removed from the ruling tension, met with keen demand, and firmed up in terms of most European currencies.

Additional evidence of the existing nervousness was provided on the gold market, where nearly \$1,000,000 worth of the metal changed hands at this morning's fixing on Continental account, with the authorities only sellers.

Apart from Continental nervous liquidation in cotton, the commodity markets hitherto generally have remained undisturbed. — Reuter.

MANY AUSTRIAN LEADERS IN "PROTECTIVE CUSTODY"

VIENNA, YESTERDAY. MOST CONSPICUOUS FEATURE IN THE AUSTRIAN CAPITAL TO-DAY WAS THE TOTAL DISAPPEARANCE FROM THE STREETS OF THE STORM CORPS AND THE FATHERLAND FRONT.

All offices of the ex-Chancellor's organisations in Austria have been occupied by Nazis, the Fatherland Front having put up no resistance.

Total breakdown of the Fatherland Front is said to have been due to several of its leaders leaving the country, while many others were taken into "protective custody."

Among those in custody is Colonel Adam, head of Dr. Schuschnigg's propaganda department.

The offices of all Jewish newspapers in Vienna were occupied by Nazis to-day, and the noon edition of the "Telegraph" did not appear.

SWASTIKAS SOLD OUT

Many private houses have hoisted the swastika flag and all policemen are wearing the badge on their uniform. Every shop in the capital has sold out its stock of swastika flags.

All public buildings in Vienna and the provincial capitals have been occupied and Nazi governments have been formed in all provinces. New officials took over their duties without incident.

Shopping districts in Vienna to-day presented their normal appearance but business has practically ceased in the provinces.

In Salzburg, all Jewish shops have closed, while educational establishments all over the country have declared a holiday. — Trans-Ocean.

TEXT OF CALL FOR GERMAN MILITARY AID

Salzburg, Yesterday.

All the official buildings in Salzburg including the Headquarters of the Federal Police Authorities, have been occupied by National Socialists.

Crowds in the streets enthusiastically greeted the first motor cars from Germany which arrived here after the opening of the frontier by Vienna.

It is now learned in Vienna that the request for despatch of German troops to Austria was made by Herr Zeiss-Inquart. His actual appeal to Germany read:

"The provisional Austrian Government which, following the resignation of the Schuschnigg Government, regards it as its mission to restore calm and order in Austria, urgently request the German Government to support it in its task and to assist it in preventing bloodshed. "For this purpose it requests the Government to send German troops as soon as possible." — Trans-Ocean.

ZEISS-INQUART HEADS NEW CABINET

Vienna, Yesterday.

The following is the full list of the new Government: — Dr. Arthur Zeiss-Inquart — Chancellor and Defence Minister. Dr. Glaise-Horstensau — Vice-Chancellor.

Dr. Wilhelm Wolf — Foreign Affairs. Dr. Franz Hueber — Justice. Dr. Reinthaler — Agriculture. Dr. Oswald Menghin — Education. Dr. Hugo Jury — Minister of State.

Dr. Rudolf Neumeier — Finance. Dr. Hans Fischbeck — Commerce and Communications. Dr. Michael Skubl is appointed chief of the entire Austrian police force. — Trans-Ocean.

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FEVERISH LONDON EXCITEMENT

Extra Editions Of Newspapers Snatched From Newsboys

Downing Street Activities Reflect General Tension

London, Yesterday.

A fever of excitement prevailed in London as events in Austria followed in rapid succession, extra editions of the papers, which appeared every hour, being snatched from the hands of newsboys by eager readers. Opinion is that the events of yesterday mark the beginning of a new state of affairs in Central Europe.

The tension which prevails among the man in the street is reflected in Downing Street, where the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, held repeated conferences with the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax.

The resignation of Dr. Schuschnigg caused some consternation in political circles although opinion was general that the Chancellor had placed himself in an impossible position by announcing the plebiscite.

It is reported that Mr. Chamberlain expressed a fear to the Austrian Minister that disorders might result.

Another report alleges that Dr. Schuschnigg appealed to Britain to support him in his action in calling a plebiscite but Britain refused.

TROOP MOVEMENTS

The newspapers made great play with long stories from Germany of mobilisation in Bavaria.

From Munich came the first intimation of troop movements, when it was reported that several thousand men of the Reichswehr passed along the new motor speedways towards the Austrian frontier. Field-artillery was also transported to the frontier.

Storm Troopers were also mobilised and stationed on the border. Several Austrian refugees crossed the frontier into Germany.

The men, it was stated, had been beaten up in Austria, and their

condition was reported to have caused much ill feeling on the border.—Trans-Ocean.

GERMAN 'RETICENCE'

Berlin, Yesterday. Only official intimation of German troop movements is that "frontier guards have been reinforced in view of the increasing disorders in Austria and the danger that these disorders may spread into Germany."—Trans-Ocean.

NAZI MAYOR OF VIENNA

Vienna, Yesterday.

The new Chancellor, Herr Zeiss-Inquart, has appointed the Vice-Mayor as Mayor of Vienna, following the former Mayor's resignation.

The swastika flag has been hoisted over the Town Hall.—Trans-Ocean.

Warning Of The Deluge

Berlin, Yesterday.

Strong criticisms of Dr. Schuschnigg's intention to hold a plebiscite in Austria were made in the official and semi-official newspapers yesterday, foreshadowing the strong German action.

The legality of the plebiscite was questioned by practically every newspaper, one journal saying "The Austrians have learnt in the past what such measures can signify."

"The Berliner Boersen Zeitung" asked: "Do the Austrians imagine that the world is gullible enough to believe that Austrians will be free to vote as they please, when every man will be under compulsion to vote 'yes'?"

DARING MOCKERY

"It is difficult to imagine just what Dr. Schuschnigg had in mind when he staged this tragic-comedy of his."

"It is right to call this what it actually is — the most daring mockery of democracy."—Trans-Ocean.

ONE PEOPLE: ONE REICH: ONE FUEHRER

Vienna, Yesterday.

Richard Schmidt, ex-Mayor of Vienna, has been arrested on a charge of issuing arms to the workers' organisations and the Fatherland Front.

Dr. Schuschnigg and other members of the deposed Cabinet are still in the Chancellery under guard by Police and storm troops.

It transpires that the Nazi staff occupied the broadcasting station all yesterday evening, and prevented President Miklas communicating to the people his refusal to accept the German ultimatum.

The leader of the Austrian Nazis, Herr Klausner, broadcasting after midnight, exclaimed: "Our goal has been reached! One People! One Reich! One Fuehrer!"—Reuter.

BARRICADES TORN DOWN IN GRAZ

Graz, Yesterday.

News of Dr. Schuschnigg's resignation and postponement of the plebiscite, spread like wildfire among the populace of Graz — the Nazi stronghold in Styria.

The Nazis immediately organised processions, tearing down the barricades and forcing the military to withdraw.

More troops arrived in motor-lorries from Vienna, but the situation, though tense, has not resulted in any clashes.—Trans-Ocean.

CZECH ARMS FOR SOCIALISTS REPORT

Berlin, Yesterday.

A sensational report appears in the "Berliner Tageblatt" that the delivery of arms from Czechoslovakia to Socialists and Communists in Vienna is in full swing.

The paper says that this is not without precedent, as during the unrest in Vienna in February, 1934, arms were smuggled across the Czech frontier.—Trans-Ocean.

ZEISS-INQUART

Vienna, Yesterday.

A statement that Herr Zeiss-Inquart had resigned was denied by Chancellor Schuschnigg shortly before he himself announced his resignation.—Trans-Ocean.

VIENNA'S FLOOD OF RUMOURS ADD CONFUSION PRIOR TO NAZI COUP

Vienna, Yesterday.

The confusion in Austria preceding Dr. Schuschnigg's resignation was typified in the dozens of fantastic rumours which flooded the capital.

Stories circulated that the Nazis were about to march on the capital, that the Styrian and Carinthian Nazis were about to march.

It seems now that Herr Zeiss-Inquart did actually threaten action unless the Chancellor cancelled the plebiscite.

GERMANY DENIES IMPLICATION OF ULTIMATUM

BERLIN, YESTERDAY.

OFFICIAL CIRCLES DESCRIBE FOREIGN PRESS REPORTS OF A GERMAN ULTIMATUM TO AUSTRIA AS A "MISUNDERSTANDING OF THE SITUATION IN VIENNA."

Officials allege that postponement of the plebiscite was due to the attitude of the Austrian army and police against the planned coup d'etat of the Austrian Chancellor.

An official statement says that Chancellor Schuschnigg's farewell radio address contained a number of "false assertions."

A denial is made of Dr. Schuschnigg's assertion that Germany had presented an ultimatum to Austria.

Germany, it is stated, did not attempt to dictate the composition of the new Austrian Cabinet.

Another official statement denies that any German delegation has been sent to Vienna.—Trans-Ocean.

Reuter has reported the arrival in Vienna of Herr Rudolf Hess, Hitler's Deputy.

SCHUSCHNIGG IN FLIGHT?

Vienna, Yesterday.

Herr Zeiss-Inquart was officially appointed Chancellor in succession to Dr. Schuschnigg, who he called on President Miklas.

Rumours are circulating that Dr. Schuschnigg has left Austria, but no confirmation could be obtained.—Trans-Ocean.

ITALY SILENT

Berlin, Yesterday.

The Italian press has maintained strict silence on the latest Austrian developments and although German press comment was issued to the newspapers by the Stefani news agency, nothing was printed.

The Propaganda Ministry, in a statement yesterday evening, declared that rumours were so numerous and contradictory that it was impossible to make any definite statement.

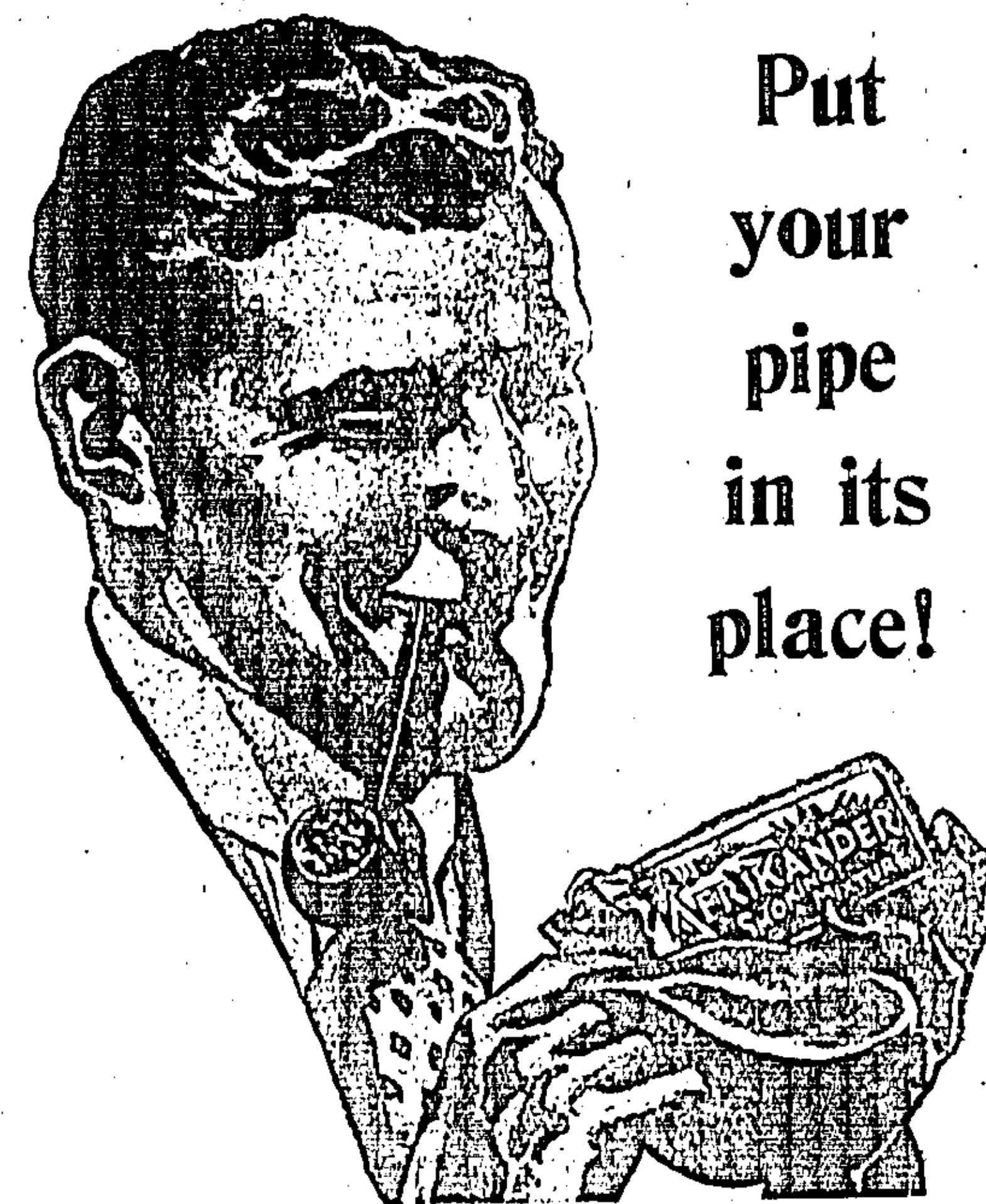
Journalistic circles are inclined to think that Italy advised Dr. Schuschnigg to resign, although there is no definite evidence on which to base the belief.—Trans-Ocean.

CZECHO-SLOVAKIA MOBILISATION DENIED

Prague, Yesterday.

Reports that Czechoslovakian troops were mobilised yesterday evening, are denied in authoritative circles.

Assertions to this effect, they say, are entirely without foundation.—Trans-Ocean.



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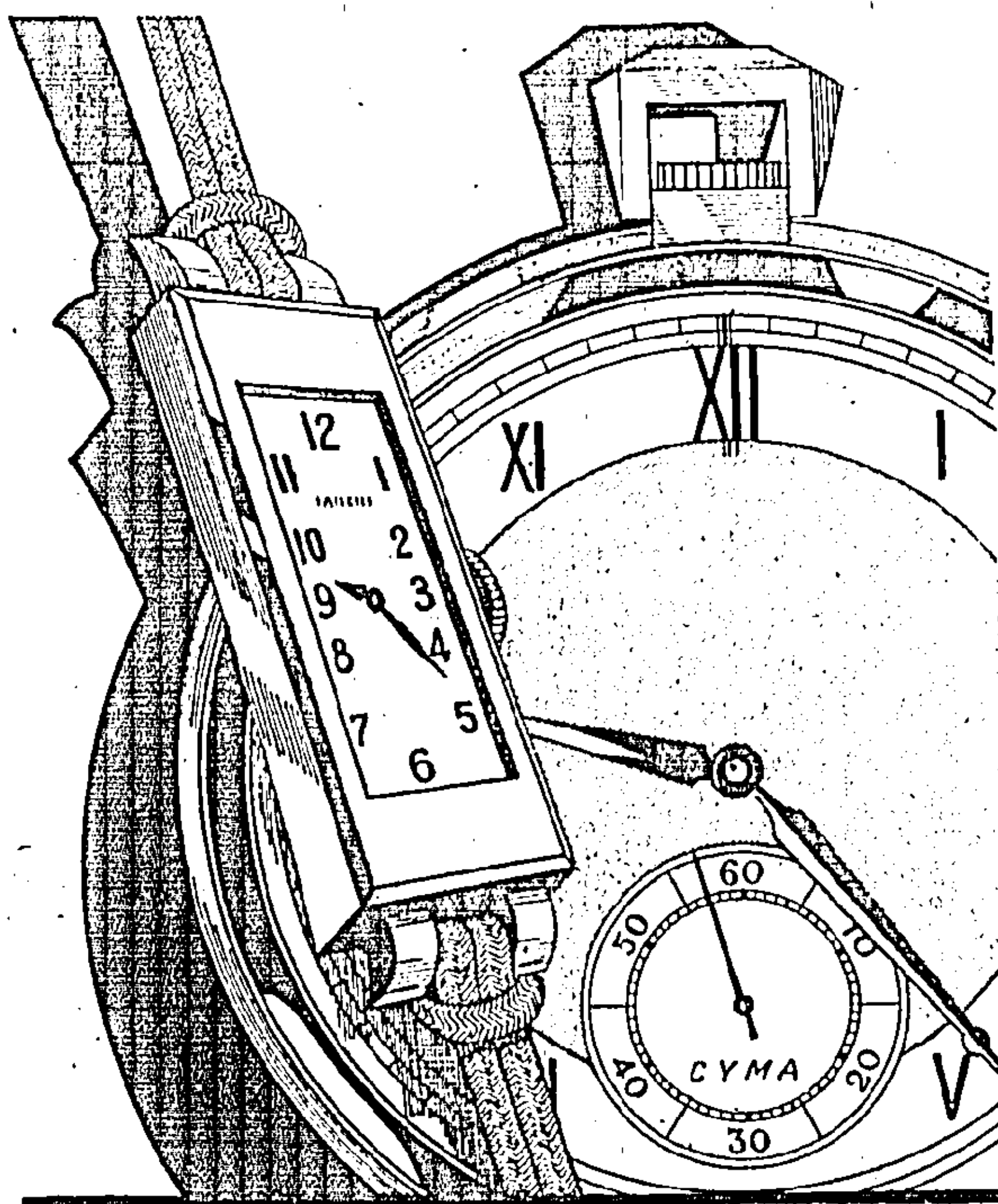
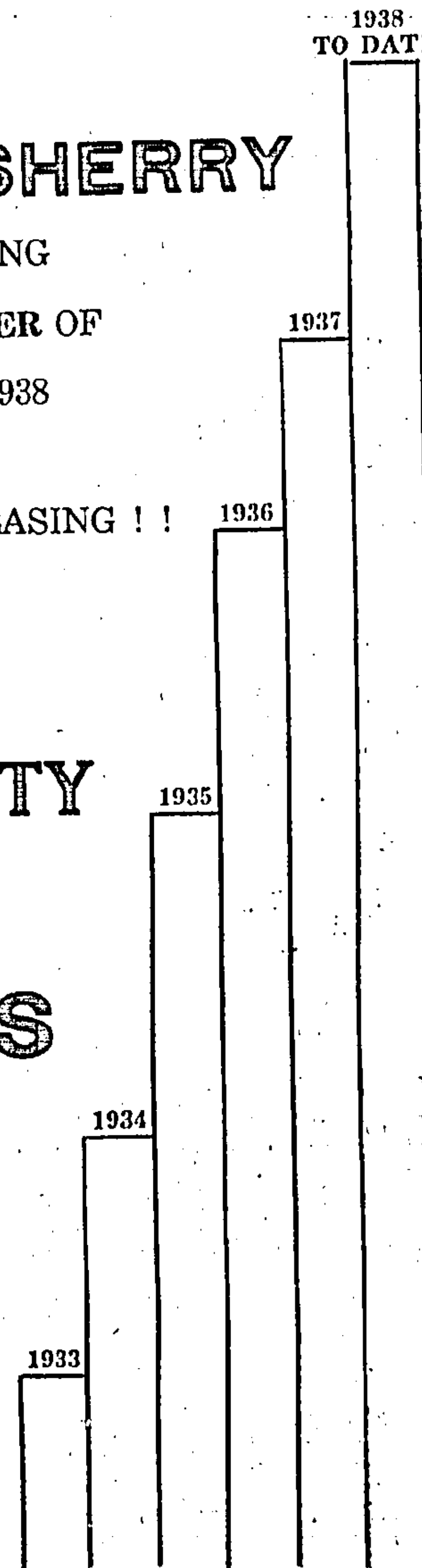
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NOTICE.

RENTS COMMISSION

The Rents Commission invites Landlords and Tenants to submit in writing any facts which they wish to bring to the Commission's notice in respect of the prevalent charges for rent in the towns of Victoria and Kowloon having regard to their rise and fall during the last ten years, and the extent to which and the manners in which tenants and landlords have been and are being affected by the sudden growth of the population of Hong Kong since the beginning of Sino-Japanese hostilities last year.

The Commission will after consideration of written statements, request the writers of such statements to appear before it at the Urban Council Chamber (top floor, Post Office Building) at such time and date as may be notified.

All communications should be addressed to The Secretary, Rents Commission, c/o Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, and will be treated as confidential if desired.

R. J. MINNITT,

Secretary, Rents Commission.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Second Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 26th March, 1938 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 17th March, 1938.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

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- 20—Wireless for the Amateur by J. Rousel.
- 21—Wireless To-day, short History of Wireless in One Volume by E. H. Chapman.
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- 23—Agfa Standard Film—Pack and Photo Camera with Agfa Doppel 4.5. Lens.
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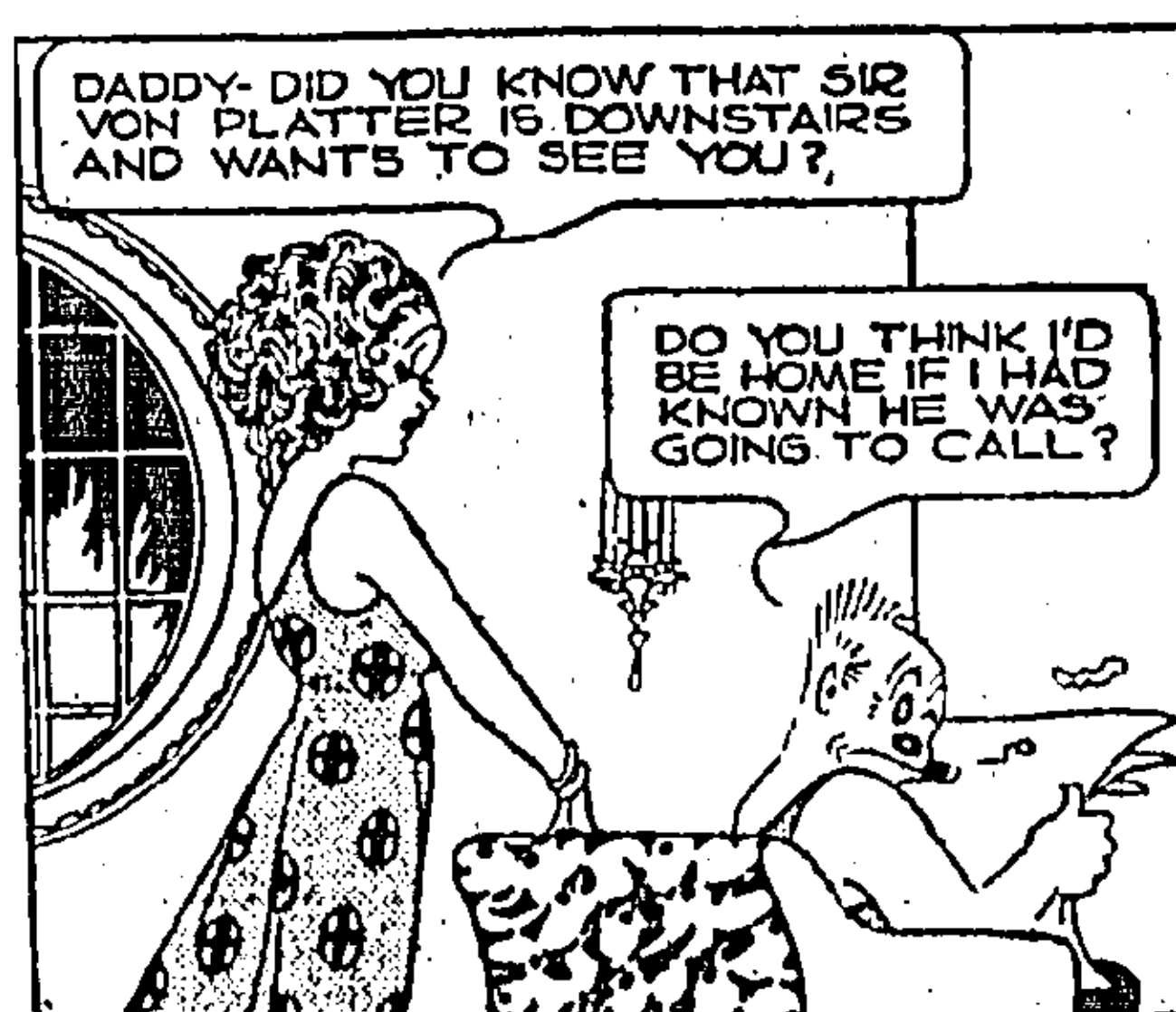
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By George McManus

FIVE TOWNS RETAKEN BY CHINESE IN HONAN

Bid To Cut Off Japanese In Shansi Mobile Columns Active In East Of Shantung

Hankow, Yesterday.

Chinese mobile columns are extremely active in east Shantung along the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway, occupying Shoukwan, Lingtze, Kwangjao and Chanshan, north of the railway, and also Tsechuan, south of the railway. Meanwhile, a Chinese mobile column with its base at Feihshien, has reached Monying, west of Chenchow, and at present is advancing in two columns, one of which is heading northward towards Sintai and the other column is heading westward towards Szesui.

The Japanese are busily constructing a highway linking Kiamoi, on the Kiaochow-Tsinan

Railway, with Lihshien, north-west of Jachno, preparatory to a drive into north-eastern Kiangsu province and eastward to Shuchow.

Meanwhile, in order to support the Chinese forces in Shansi, Chinese troops are active along the Peiping-Hankow Railway.

CHINESE PROGRESS
Chinese reports claim that their troops are steadily pressing towards Anyang, in northern Honan, having recaptured Peiyang, Chinfeng, Chihshien, Weihwei, Lihshien and Tangyang, apparently with the object of cutting off the Japanese column operating in southern Shansi which advanced west from Anyang.—Reuter.

JAPANESE COUNTING THEIR CHICKS

Tientsin, Yesterday.

According to Japanese reports, Chinese defenders along the Lung-Hai Line have been greatly effected by the crossing of the Yellow River by the Japanese in Shansi Province.

It is stated that large scale movements, changing positions, are now being made by the Chinese troops.

Japanese militarists here predict that Hankow will fall into their hands within two months.—Our Own Correspondent.

SUN YAT-SEN MEMORIAL MEETING

Eloquent testimony to the esteem in which the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen is held by the Chinese people was given at the King's Theatre yesterday morning at the service held in memory of the 13th anniversary of his death.

It is estimated that a crowd of not less than 2,000 people, includ-

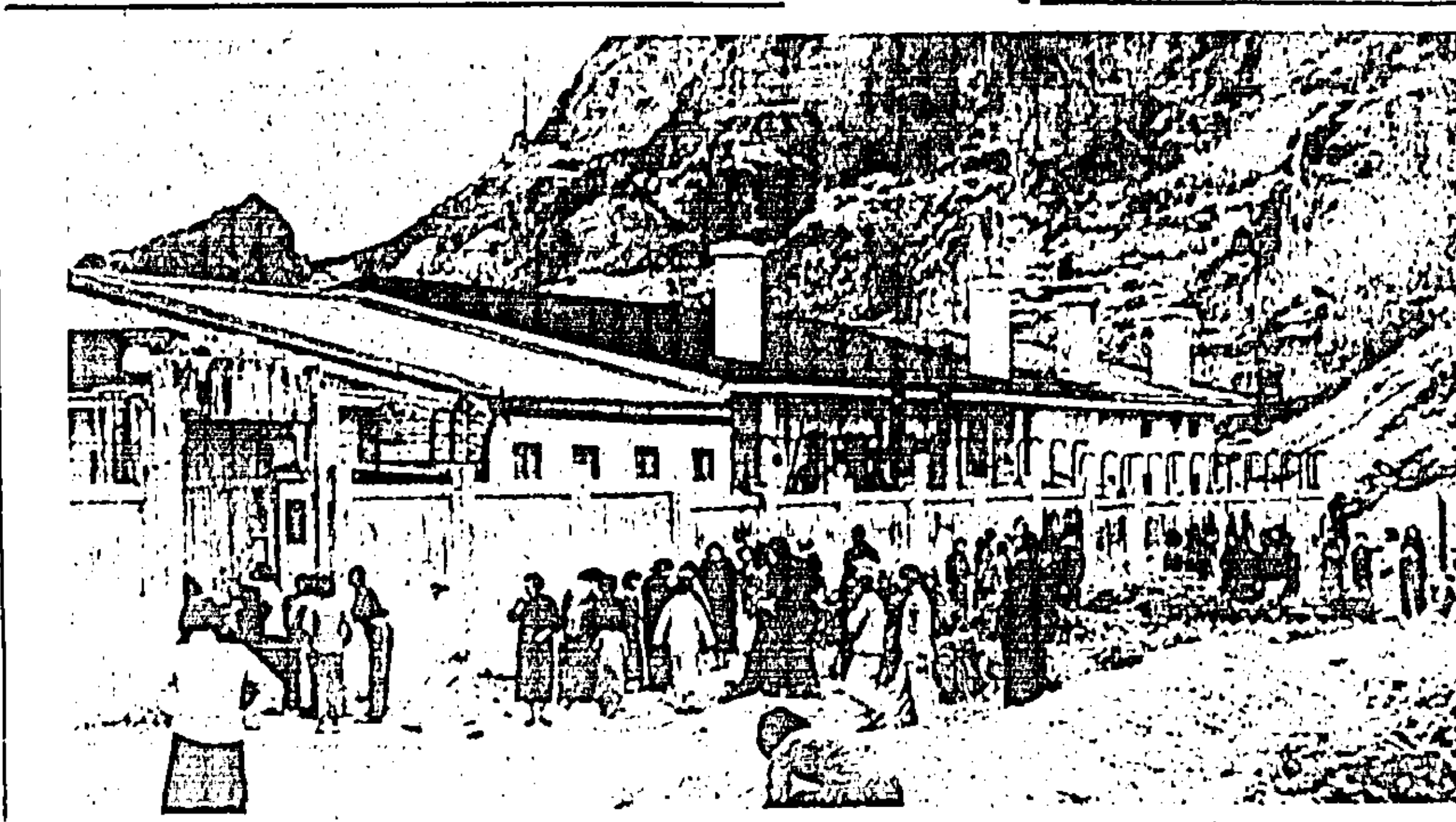


Photo taken at the back of the Chung Hwa Book Company's premises at Ma Tau Wai on Friday when 1,000 men declared a sit-down strike and held out for 5 1/2 hours. Picture shows relatives of the strikers assembled outside. The printing establishment is understood to have been engaged in printing bank-notes for the Central Bank of China, and a suggestion has been made that pro-Japanese agitators were behind the strike. ("Herald" photo).

SENSATIONAL DISCOVERY OF ROBBERS' CAVE AFTER MIDNIGHT MURDER

A fatal quarrel among thieves, discovery of the most amazing hide-out of an organised gang of professional highwaymen in the Colony; the murder of one member of the gang, the serious wounding of another and the arrest of three other members on Friday, is alleged to furnish the background of the sensational Bay View District shooting on Thursday at midnight.

THE WHOLE AFFAIR READS LIKE A PAGE OF EDGAR WALLACE AND FURNISHES ONE OF THE MOST AMAZING CRIME STORIES IN THE COLONY'S ANNALS.

The hide-out was a deep cave in a hill at Causeway Bay, and to reach it almost two hours' of walking and climbing was required from the bottom of the hill.

It was so cleverly hidden in natural surroundings of underground rocks that the police, after several hours' searching, failed to find it. It was only with the help of one of the arrested men that they eventually unearthed the Robbers' Cave.

The place was well furnished according to Chinese requirements and the kitchen was equipped with all necessary utensils.

MURDER CHARGE

The arrested men, who were charged with the murder yesterday,

are Lau Kwong-fai, Leung Kam-kai and Lo Chung-hing.

The murdered man was Huen Kon-hing, and seriously wounded was Huen Kon-wan, his brother, now lying in hospital.

It is now alleged that all five men were members of an organised gang of robbers and were responsible for many armed robberies which have taken place during the past few months, in addition to the assault on an Indian policeman in December last when the constable was knocked unconscious and his revolver stolen.

"DOUBLE-CROSSED"

At about 10 p.m. on Thursday, it is alleged, the Huen brothers were in the cave and were visited by the three men now arrested.

A dispute occurred between the three visitors and the two brothers, the former accusing the Huens of double-crossing them and being stool-pigeons of the police.

During the heated argument, one of the men drew the revolver and fired three bullets into Huen Kon-wan. The brother, Huen Kon-hing, attempted to wrench the revolver from the assailant and was fatally shot.

REMARKABLE JOURNEY

Hiding the weapons, including the revolver, under rocks, the three men decamped. Huen Kon-wan, badly wounded, managed to crawl out of the cave and made a remarkable journey down the hill.

Acting on the wounded man's information, detectives were sent to various houses in Wanchai while others scoured the hillside with electric torches endeavouring to find the body of the murdered man.

Five hours' search by the police proved fruitless.

Meanwhile, detectives arrested three men in different houses in Wanchai, and one of them agreed to lead the police to the cave, where on arrival they found the murdered man lying in a pool of blood at the bottom.

The three men came before the Magistrate at the Central Police Court yesterday morning and were remanded.

In the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada advertisement last Sunday the dollar sign refers to Canadian dollars.

HONG KONG'S FIRST ESCORT BUREAU

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Take Your Choice For One Dollar An Hour

Hong Kong is making a bold bid for qualification in the "Big City" status.

Latest development on the road to sophistication and progress is the appearance in the Colony of an Escort Bureau, on the lines of the New York institutions of this type, with the exception that Hong Kong is specialising in female escorts, whilst New York cultivates the need of wealthy dowagers.

"Girls from Shanghai, Girls from Amoy, Girls from Canton, and local girls, speaking all Chinese dialects besides English, are at your service for the minimum cost of one dollar an hour," read printed cards circulated about town by this newly-established business concern in Queen's Road Central.

CAN SING AND DANCE
Girls between the age of 16 to 25 years are available at any time of day and one can either book one's favourite personally or through the telephone.

They will accompany you anywhere in town, can dance and sing and converse intelligently on any subject, so long as you pay that one dollar an hour.

Patrons first visiting the place are questioned as to where they first obtained their information that such a business was in existence, the examination taking place through a loop-hole in the door.

SANCTUM SANCTORUM
Provided the answers are satisfactory, the door is then opened and the patrons are led to an inner room which is furnished with armchairs and settees.

There you are asked to describe the kind of girl preferred, or a group of girls will enter and you may select your choice.

A printed pad is produced, the official in charge takes down your name and address, not of course forgetting also to record the hour.

NO HANKY-PANKY
No advance payment is requested, but you are instructed to pay the girl when you need her services no longer.

Just before leaving, the official

SOVIET TANKS FOR CHINA PASS THROUGH HONG KONG

Tokyo, Yesterday.

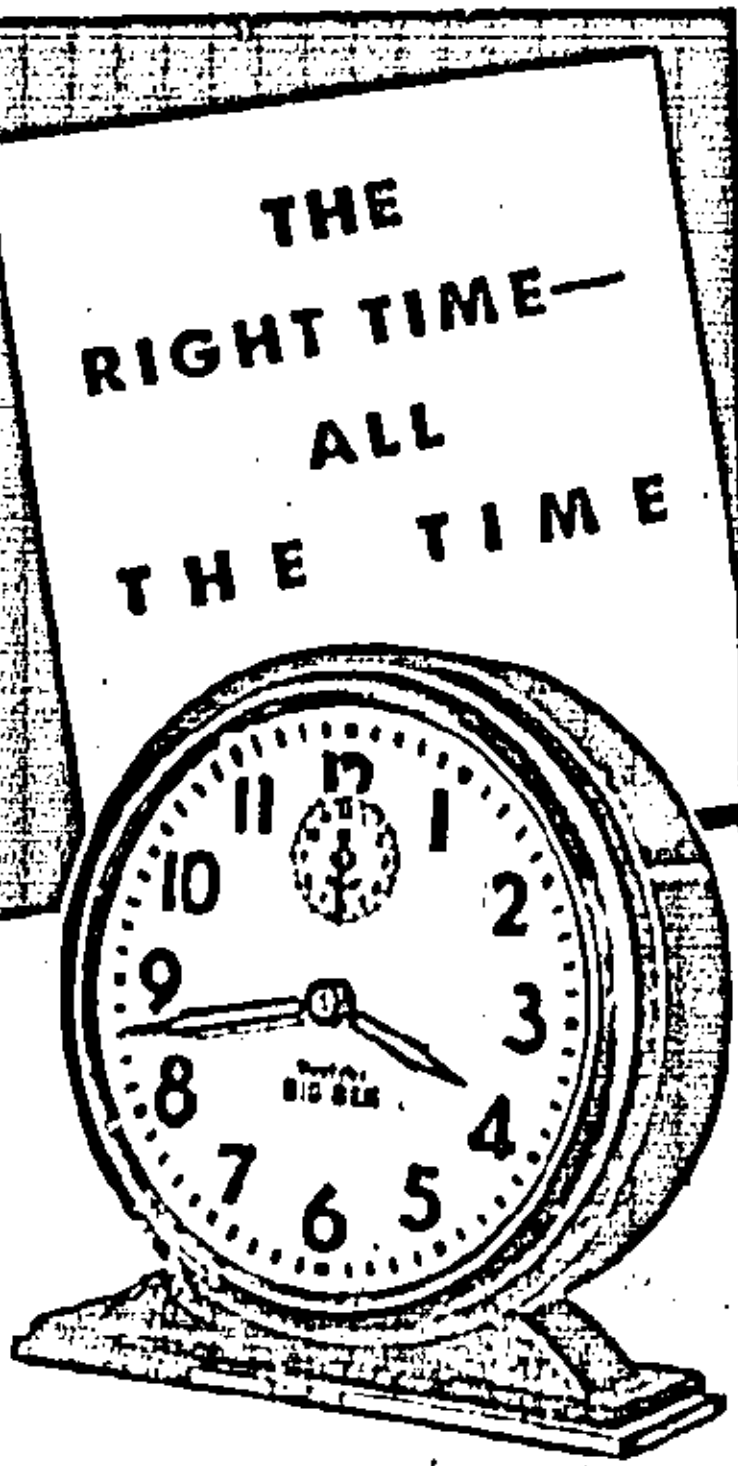
Reports published here from Hong Kong state that following the arrival of twenty heavy Soviet tanks from Vladivostok, thirty further tanks of a lighter type arrived in Hong Kong for shipment to China on Thursday.

It is stated that the machines which arrived this week were equipped with two machine-guns and a three-pounder.

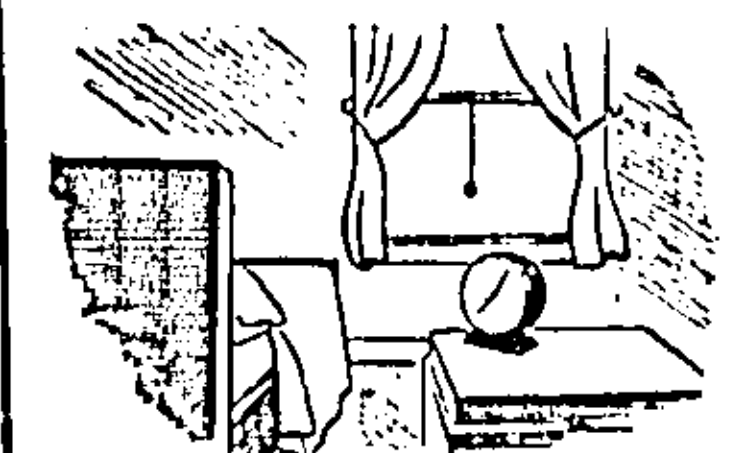
They were sent off to Canton almost immediately after landing.

The report states that although the tanks were of Soviet manufacture and came from Vladivostok, they were landed in the Colony from a British ship and were sent to China on the order of a French firm.—Our Own Correspondent.

In charge discreetly tells you: "This business" is legal, no tomfoolery, the girls act only as escorts."



BIG BEN



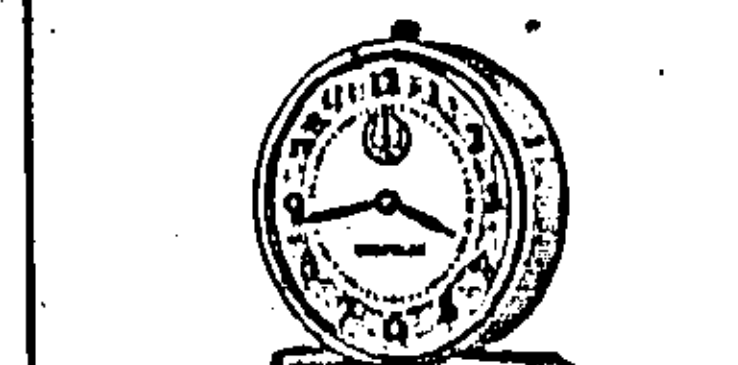
If you want a dependable alarm clock—to wake you on the dot, to serve you a long time—then what you want is a Big Ben!

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China Commemorates Anniversary Of Death Of Dr. Sun Yat-Sen

CHUNGKING, YESTERDAY.
CHUNGKING TO-DAY LED THE NATION IN COMMEMORATING THE 13TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF DR. SUN YAT-SEN, IN AN IMPRESSIVE MEMORIAL SERVICE AT THE GOVERNMENT HEADQUARTERS THIS MORNING.

Delivering the principal address, Mr. Lin Sen, Chairman of the National Government, dwelt at length on the teachings of the late Leader concerning national reconstruction. To tide over the present unprecedented crisis, Mr. Lin said, redoubled energy should be made towards building up the nation's economic strength.

HANKOW CEREMONY
At Hankow, a memorial meeting was held at the Provisional Headquarters of the Central Executive Committee.

General Chiang Kai-shek, Mr. Wang Ching-wei, General Feng Yu-hsiang, Dr. H. H. Kung, General Chang Chun, and thirty other members of the C.E.C. attended the gathering which was presided over by Mr. Wang Ching-wei, who delivered the principal speech.

Mr. Wang mentioned the fall of Nanking and the inability of the Kuomintang Party to pay respects to their late Leader before his Mausoleum as in previous years, but expressed confidence that ultimately China's cause would win over Japanese aggression.

LIBERTY AND EQUALITY

By following faithfully the bequeathed teachings of the late Party Leader under the leadership of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek Mr. Wang said, China unquestionably will be able eventually to win liberty and equality in the family of nations.—Central News.

ARMY DEPOT IN BELFAST BOMBED

Belfast, Yesterday.

The army recruiting depot in Belfast was seriously damaged by a bomb late last night.

A few hours earlier, a monument in Milltown Cemetery had been completely destroyed by another bomb.

There were no casualties in either affair.—Trans-Ocean.

BANK OF EAST ASIA'S NEW DEPARTMENT

That the Directors have decided to establish a Real Estates Department in the Head Office here, was revealed at the Meeting of Shareholders of the Bank of East Asia held yesterday afternoon.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. Li Koon-chun, the Chairman, the Honourable Mr. Sir Shouson Chow, being unable to attend owing to a slight illness. Directors present were Messrs. P. K. Kwok, Wong Yun-tong, Chan Ching-shak, Li Lan-sang, Wong Chu-son, Kan Ying-po and Fung Ping-wah, with Mr. Kan Tong-po (Chief Manager) and Mr. Li Tse-fong (Manager).

The chairman said:—The net profit for the year, including the amount carried forward from the last account is \$880,164.93 which shows only a slight decline compared with that of the previous year, but taking into account the disturbed conditions in the Far East during the last few months of 1937, I think you will agree with me that the results attained can not be regarded as unsatisfactory.

DEPOSITS INCREASE

In the Balance Sheet you will notice that our total deposits have continued to increase and at the end of last year the total amount was over a million dollars more than that of 1936. The high standard of liquidity of this bank has been fully maintained throughout the year and our Cash which stands in the Balance Sheet at over \$14,700,000.00 represents as much as 70 per cent. of our liabilities under current and deposit accounts.

There has been a small expansion in the loan account and the Directors are pleased to report that ample provision has been made against possible bad debts.

INVESTMENT ACCOUNT

In view of the growth in our total deposits and in the absence of better employment for our surplus fund, the Directors have carefully considered and approved a substantial increase in the Investment Account, which, I can assure you, is on a sound and remunerative basis.

In keeping with the steady growth of our business the Directors have decided to establish a new Department in the Hong Kong Office, which undertakes to look after real estate interests on behalf of our clients. I am sure that this department will gradually increase its activities and become one of the most important departments of this bank.

BROADBENT TRIP

London, Yesterday.

The Australian airman, H. L. Broadbent, left Lympne aerodrome at 3 o'clock this morning on a flight to Australia.

He plans to reach Australia in under four days.—Reuter.

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"Lady, a word—but oh, beware!
And prudence do not slight it—
If you will have your back no bare
Someone is sure to bite it."

Your Experience?

A gentleman of our acquaintance, who is about to be named as co-respondent in a pending divorce suit, relates the following with a certain bitter relish:

A professor of psychology gave a lecture on 'Sex Life as lived and as thought.' He first asked how many of the students had experienced the former. Several hands were raised. He then enquired how many had merely thought, that is to say, only dreamed of sex. Several more hands went up. And here he noticed that one young man had raised his hand both times. 'And tell me,' he asked, 'which experience did you find the more satisfactory?' 'The dream,' answered the young man, promptly. 'Why?' 'Because, Sir, in dreams one meets a much better class of people.'

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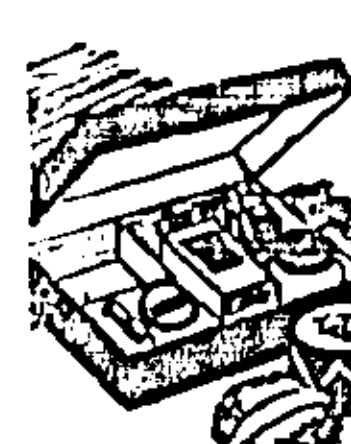
BAFT the door of a van parked in Kowloon:
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LITTLE NOTES of Great Importance



So you are feeling seedy, are you, and you have just seen your doctor, have you, and he has given you a prescription, has he? Well, what are you waiting for? It's time you were hanging that prescription to a reliable chemist and getting the order filled *quite sure*. Don't tell me you don't know where to go! And even if you didn't, what do you think I exist for? Anyone will tell you that Esther spends many hours thinking of unhappy situations from which, Saint Bernard like, she can rescue you. Take your plight—now, I could suggest several good chemists given moreover, that I can heartily recommend with no strings attached, is the *GRAND DISPENSARY*, next to the Queen's Theatre and on Queen's Road. What I like about them is, they fill orders promptly and when you get the finished product you can be sure it's just what the doctor ordered.

Ever since I dropped in on Mr. N. A. Tonoff, who runs the *CAMERA EXCHANGE SERVICE*, 1 Middle Road, Kowloon, I have been enthusiastic about his child studies. Now, there's an expert of the honest-to-goodness kind who doesn't need to apologize for the grimy glasses, nor try to improve them with shining silver frames. You know what children are when it comes to having their pictures taken, especially the very young 'uns who can't keep still for more than a fraction of a minute. But that still for a minute is all Mr. Tonoff needs after he has got his camera adjusted and seen to the proper lighting effects. Then it is only a matter of patience, and Mr. Tonoff has lots of that, because he takes a pride in his work. Yes, mother! He is even more anxious than you are that your 'darling' should be photographed at his or her best. And the beauty of it is, Mr. Tonoff gets 'em every time!



I should like to stir things up a bit in the matter of clearer and more radiant skins. Gather 'round wimmin', and lend an attentive ear. Ever heard of Vitamin D? Sure you have! Do you know what it is and what it does for you? And I thought I'd catch you napping on that point. Well, I won't get too technical except to say that activated ergosterol is just another name for it, and that it is an important element of the skin during youth, but generally sadly lacking after maturity. So what? you ask. So this—make a rite of keeping your skins adequately supplied with this precious substance skins adequately supplied with this precious substance by using Colonial Dames All-Purpose Cream regularly. Why do you suppose Colonial Dames Inc. went to all that trouble to blend a cream containing Vitamin D—just to keep you beautiful? So you owe it to them and to yourselves to keep a jar of All-Purpose Cream constantly on hand. A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD. is where you ask for it, just in case you don't know.

If in your preambles you have seen, vaguely through a glass window, one of those record players which can be adjusted to fit any type of radio, look it up at the *VICTORIA RADIO SHOPPE*, Peking Road, Kowloon. It isn't enough to possess a radio—I guess you've discovered that by now. How often have you felt in the mood to listen to some particular tune and lamented the fact that Z.B.W. weren't mine readers? Lament no more. At the *VICTORIA RADIO SHOPPE* you will find a whole range of Bosch Record Players, that convenient gramophone attachment which enables you to hear what you like, when you like, through the loudspeaker of your own wireless set. Why Bosch, you ask? Well, here are the advantages of Bosch over the ordinary type of record player. Briefly these include low current consumption, easy operation, automatic stop, and an automatic needle rest device. That should rouse the bloodhound instincts of anyone, so trail down the *VICTORIA RADIO SHOPPE* and have them tell you more about it.

Or maybe it's just slacks you want, and you want them to be individual. Either way, the answer is *LANE, CRAWFORD'S Ladies' Department*. They'll show you a batch of the most fascinating kind in navy blue, blue and in sizes 14 to 20. And, listen. Take it from one who knows—this lot is simple and clean-cut and oh, so very careless-looking. That's the look you want to achieve with slacks this summer; fashion demands it, so achieve the nearest assistant and ask her to show you the "wolks". To go with them—Aertex sports shirts in all colours.

The Open Conspiracy

WHEN the man next door—a bluff, hearty fellow—manages to keep a wife, two children, one mistress, and a limousine on \$400 a month, people like us just naturally sit up and take notice. In fact we've sat up half the night trying to work out how he does it. Even allowing for wife-neglect and starving offspring (Mrs. Bluff and Hearty is a plump, smiling brunette, and the infants neat as new pins) we can't balance his budget.

AS you are saying, it's no business of ours anyway. But put yourself in our shoes and you'll find that they'll take you past the hotels mighty quick, pinch you every time they enter the Compradore's, and walk a mile to save a forty cent taxi fare. And if you happened to be wearing them and saw Bluff and Hearty driving the family out to Sheko of a fine afternoon, or entering the Hong Kong with a soulful but expensive looking Russian on his arm, we'd bet all the you know what in the Colony that you'd feel every bit as sour as we do.

Not that we haven't tried our hand. Only the other day, we marched boldly into a shop, calmly lifted a handful of cigars, winked knowingly at the

proprietor, and swung out. We got the bill the same afternoon.

WHAT makes us feel worse is that pretty nearly everyone we meet is "okey doke" and all "sagani." Downy birds in clubs, dosey gents in Government offices, perishing policemen on their beat; all of them cough gently or parry with a bland smile the moment we start talking turkey. Even the tinkers, tailors, poor men, beg-

credible places, to our heart. Even if you dislike ridiculous little fat men who always manage to wear the wrong clothes, and their plump, dyspeptic

ed into show business when an impresario holidaying on a dudo ranch, saw him flick a horse off a thoroughbred with a twenty foot stock whip. "Just a kid's

spouses, a moment's reflection ought to show you that you owe them a debt of gratitude.

LUXURY tourists buy more had art in three days than a Brummagen factory can turn out in three months; a lack of taste that goes quite a way to balance Imperial and Colonial budgets. On top of the economic benefits there is something rich and soul satisfying in the spectacle of men who have spent

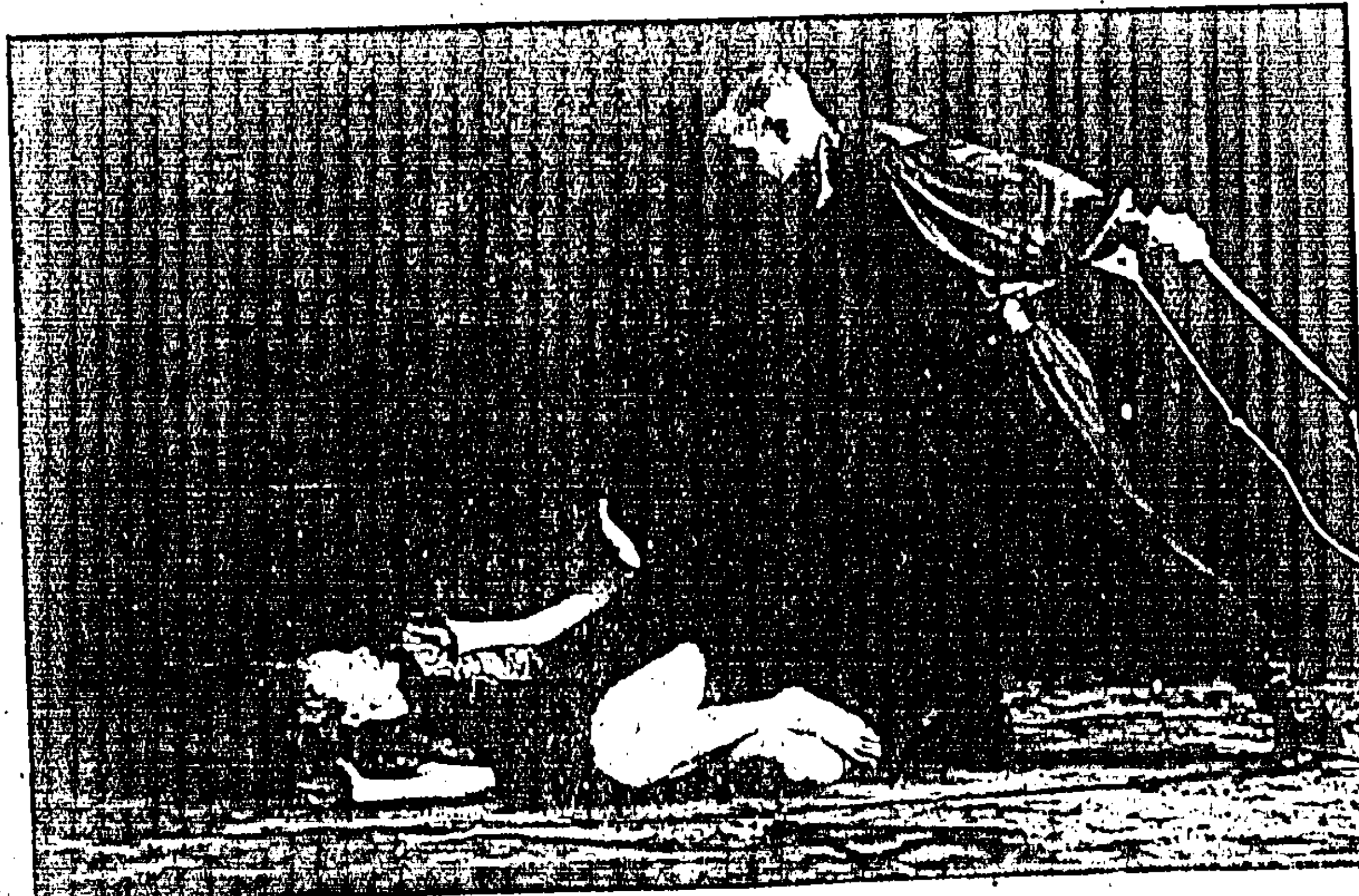


Mr. Peter Ronald Ward and Miss Ruth Marianne Goldring, who were married on Friday at St. Joseph's Church. ("Herald" photo).

gar men, thieves, and er, prostitutes, just look resigned when we ask them about you know what. In fact it's exactly like, and just as annoying as, living in an open conspiracy without being "in."

Nature Note

AT Wanichai a sparrow has built its nest in a bully beef tin. These are the little



William Heaton, giving an example of his show at the Gloucester, with one of the Ritz Sisters.

things that give the Sanitary Department a bad name.

Innocents Abroad

THE curio merchants are having a prosperous weekend. A thought that pleases our refined humour and endears the three hundred odd travellers from Memphis and other in-

Gloucester's Latest

WILLIAM R. HEATON is a lean, hard bitten fellow from the wide open spaces of New South Wales. For years a sheep and cattle ranger, he jump-

ed into show business when an impresario holidaying on a dudo ranch, saw him flick a horse off a thoroughbred with a twenty foot stock whip. "Just a kid's

trick," said Mr. Heaton, modestly. "Most of the boys where I was raised could do it with their eyes shut." Apparently the impresario thought otherwise. Impressed, he signed up the Ranger with hawk eyes and steel wrists, there and then. A long term contract that put the man from the back blocks slap bang into the feverish, spangled world of variety and took him all over the world.

AS we stooped down to pick up the burning half, a slim, fair girl followed by a vivid creature with chestnut hair, entered the room. "This is Iris who gets beaten twice nightly," said Mr. Heaton, calmly, introducing the former, "and Joy who can go to bed with a glass of water perched on her forehead and wake up dry next morning." "How does it feel?" we asked Iris. She smiled ruefully: "Terrible!" Mr. Heaton grinned. "I've been licking tar-nation out of her for a year, but it don't have no effect, she saucers me the same as if I were her dad."

"HE'S so realistic that a man nearly wrecked the act in Manila trying to protect me," giggled Iris. "Yep, and almost got cut to ribbons. Like a lot of folk who go away thinking I'm a black hearted devil, he thought I had lost my temper and went plumb crazy himself." "How did you fix him?" "Like this," Mr. Heaton uncoiled the whip, gave a preliminary crack, and neatly tripped Joy up on the carpet. "Of course it's quite safe when you try it with some-



Mr. and Mrs. Tang So-kee, of Hong Kong and Shanghai, who celebrated their 31st wedding anniversary on Wednesday.

PERSONALIA

Among passengers who arrived in the *Empress of Russia* was Mr. H. Chester Walsh, British Consul at Sourabaya, returning from leave with Mrs. Walsh.

Mrs. Alfred Hicks, widow of the former editor of the "Hong Kong Telegraph," sailed for Home in the Blue Funnel liner "Hector."

Accompanied by her children, Lorna, Ann and Elaine, Mrs. Wood, wife of Mr. C. F. Wood, of the China Light and Power Co., left for Home in the "Hector." Mrs. Wood is a daughter of Mr. D. Tolan of the Hong Kong Telephone Co.

Mrs. Guy, wife of Mr. L. Guy of Messrs. A. S. Watson and Company, was another local resident who left for Home in the "Hector." She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Marjorie Edwards, who for the past few years has occupied the post of Secretary at H.M. Consulate at Canton.

himself into the fire and the bowl came out perfect. "The vessel's perfect glaze is the god's fat and blood; the body material is the god's body of flesh; the blue of the decoration with the brilliant lustre of gems is the essence of the god's pure spirit." This inspiring example plus a small pimple on the back of our neck, nerved us. On the point of dashing ourselves against the typewriter keys, it occurred to us, Dear Reader, that you wouldn't recognise a Tung if you saw one.

Mr. J. R. Masson, of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, left for Shanghai in the "Empress of Canada."

Other passengers on the "Empress of Canada" were Messrs. H. Maitland, F. Marshall, J. Pote-Hunt and C. M. Encarnacao, Shanghai jockeys returning home after the local Annual Race Meeting.

Mr. Max Friedman, General Manager of China Motors, arrived from Shanghai in the "Empress of Russia."

Mr. D. L. Howell, China Manager of Messrs. Bunge and Company, is in the Colony.

Mr. Vernon Bartlett, prominent British journalist, and Mr. R. A. Monson, correspondent for the London "Daily Telegraph," left for Home in the "Hector."

Miss Norah Didsbury, of Messrs. Gilman and Company, who has recently returned from a holiday visit to Canada, celebrated her coming-of-age in traditional manner on board H.M.S. Cornflower last night. The large party of friends who had gathered were given a further pleasant surprise when her engagement to Mr. L. D. Skinner of the Hong Kong Telephone Company and an officer in the Hong Kong Volunteer Naval Reserve, was announced in the course of the festivities.

The following passengers are due to arrive in Hong Kong in the President Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. D. Dutton, Mrs. A. Hanceck, Mrs. A. Murphy and two sons, Mr. M. Thompson, Mr. P. Guthe and Mr. A. Olsen.

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Can We Be Sure Of Safety In Air Raids

Rearmament is not defence. Its purpose hitherto has been to add to the instruments of aggression. In responsible circles grave anxiety is being voiced over the Government's failure to carry through sound air raid precautions. Recently Air-Commodore Charlton reviewed the military aspects of this problem. Today, Professor Haldane suggests a new, and striking, point of view.

AIR-COMMODORE CHARLTON argued recently that Britain must build a fleet of bombing aeroplanes larger than the German air fleet, because Berlin is twice as far from a British air base as London from a German air base. His argument is sound if the only reply to a German air raid on London is a British air raid on Berlin.

This is the view taken by the National Government. I believe that it is not only morally but technically wrong. I am not, like Commodore Charlton, an expert on air warfare. But I have the advantage over him of having passed nearly three months of the last 18 in a country subject to constant air raids, namely, loyal Spain. I have been in a number of air raids, have seen their physical and moral effects, and the methods taken to counter them.

If the British people knew what was being done in Spain they would either force their present Government to do as much for them, or turn it out in favour of one which would give them protection.

An airman can attack civilians in four different ways. He can shoot them down with machine guns. He can poison them either with gas bombs or by spraying a liquid. He can burn their houses with incendiary bombs. Or he can blow them to pieces with high-explosive bombs. He can also launch a torpedo against ships. Only two of these weapons, the machine gun and the high-explosive bomb, have been used on any scale in Spain.

For many years the people of Britain have been told, by pacifists and reactionaries alike, that they were in terrible danger from a gas attack. I have always argued that this was untrue. But my arguments carried no weight. Finally, the dread of a gas attack became so great that the Government was forced to act, and we are told that gas masks are ready, or nearly ready, for most of the population, though not for babies. Yet gas has not been used at all in Spain, and not to any great extent in China.

I think the main reason for this is simple. Gas is only effective when used on a large scale in the open air. Suppose I want to kill as many soldiers as possible in a given area of trenches. I may shell them with high explosives or attack them with gas, either from cylinders, projectiles, or spraying aeroplanes.

Now if I put over a thousand high-explosive shells I shall kill about ten times as many people as if I put over a hundred. Perhaps only nine times as many, because sometimes two shells will burst in the same place. But if I put over a thousand gas shells I shall kill one in it killed. But people in the cellar usually escape.

When Guernica was bombed, round it for a certain distance is so poisonous that an unprotected man will die after two or three breaths. Further away he may cough, sneeze or weep, but he will recover.

If I put over two shells at once, the area where the concentration is deadly will be more than doubled if they burst fairly close together. Between the two there will be a zone where the air would not be made poisonous by either alone, while both together will make it deadly.

Again, if I fire a single gas shell at a given spot, a man say 20 yards away will be exposed to a low concentration for one minute, and will live. But if I fire ten shells one after another he will breathe the gas for ten minutes, and die.

Now bombing aeroplanes cannot aim very well. A hundred gas bombs all dropped, let us say, in or near Whitehall, might poison all unprotected people in a large area. But while a bomber can be fairly sure of dropping

them somewhere in London, I believe that he will be too busy dodging our fighters and shells to put them just where he wants.

Further, even though few houses can be made quite gas-proof, they keep gas out unless the gas concentration outside remains high for a long time. For this reason, I think gas is an ineffective weapon against towns. Of course, any day a gas raid on a Spanish town may wipe out the population and prove me wrong. But until this happens, I shall stick to my opinion.

Even if gas were effective in Spain, where very few civilians have yet got gas masks, it might fall against a properly protected population.

Incendiary bombs were used on Madrid in November, 1936. They proved ineffective. Some houses were burned, but not many, and in later raids only high explosives were used. They might be a little more dangerous in London, where more wood is probably used in house-building than in Spain. But I do not believe they could set all London ablaze. Here ex-

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PROFESSOR
J.B.S.
HALDANE**

perience has changed my views. I used to think that they constituted a great danger.

The main weapon of the bomber is the high-explosive bomb. Even small bombs weighing 50 pounds or so will greatly damage houses on which they fall. Five hundred-pound bombs will go through six floors before bursting, and will demolish even a large house unless it is made of ferro-concrete, in which case it is shivered, but not generally brought to the ground.

The effect of a one-ton bomb is stupendous. The blast will knock over a wooden hut 100 yards away, a badly built house at 50 yards, and even a fairly solid one at 25. But here, too, ferro-concrete will stand where brick or stone falls.

Against this danger there are three types of defence. A good deep cellar with a ferro-concrete or vaulted stone roof will protect people against anything but a very heavy bomb, and every- one in it killed. But people in the cellar usually escape.

When Guernica was bombed, many of the people were killed in the houses and streets. Others ran into the country, and were shot down by machine guns. There were not enough cellars for all. But over a thousand people hid in cellars, and, according to my informants, not one was killed.

Secondly, special shelters are being made. The best that I saw consisted of 500 yards of tunnels 55 feet underground, and lined with tiles and cement. There were four different entrances, and room for a thousand people. It was believed to be proof against anything, and cost about 100 pesetas (say 12s.) per head. Such a shelter is only possible where the soil is very tough and dry.

The usual shelter is 10 to 25 feet underground. It has a roof of concrete, and is divided into a number of chambers. Above the roof are 12 to 20 feet of earth, then three feet of concrete, and a little more earth. The upper layer of concrete will burst a bomb, and the earth will disperse the shock.

These shelters are completely

proof against 500-pound bombs. A one-ton bomb, it is thought, might kill the people in the compartment directly below it, but most of the people in any shelter would survive.

Refuges of this type hold from 500 to 4,000 people, and cost about 450 pesetas (say £3) per head. In Valencia there are large numbers of them, complete with sanitary conveniences and wall paintings. They can easily be made gas-proof. They are said to be enough for most of the population of Valencia, though I cannot vouch for this myself.

The Spaniards, and particularly the Catalans, are planning ahead, and many of these shelters are to be used as bath houses, school basements, municipal stores, and so on, when the war is over. In most towns the shelters are not all finished, but in many cases they will be within a few months.

Finally, in the villages and suburbs, trenches are dug, and a foot or so of head cover made to protect against splinters. Provided such a trench has sufficient corners, it is very much safer than a house, and gives protection against anything but a direct hit from a large bomb. If I had a garden I should certainly dig myself a shelter of this type, and take the risk of a gas attack.

I am convinced that such protection as this, though not complete, would reduce casualties in air-raids to one tenth of what they would be at present. It is no use saying that such protection is impossible. It is being given in Spain.

It is true that in Spain the land which is required is conscripted, and much of the labour is voluntary. The cost would certainly be greater in Britain.

Such shelters would immensely reduce the danger of war. In spite of the failure of aircraft to knock out Spain or China, there are still Fascist military leaders who believe in the possibility of winning a war by a few giant air raids.

This would be out of the question if we had air-raid shelters. And, above all, these shelters would be no threat to foreigners. British bombing aircraft may give Mr. Chamberlain a feeling of security. But they don't inspire any such feelings in Germany. On the contrary, they offer Hitler and Goering an excuse for still bigger armaments.

I submit that a programme of adequate bomb-proof shelters is a humanitarian programme which may save hundreds of thousands of lives. It is a pacifist programme, which will not threaten foreigners but will make war less likely. And it is a practical programme.

It is being carried out in Spain, a poor country, in time of war. It can be carried out in Britain, a rich country, in time of peace.

If the Labour Movement insists upon it, it will be carried out. If nothing is done to protect our women and children, while we prepare to kill those of foreign nations, a very heavy responsibility will rest not only on the National Government but on the Labour Party as well.

I do not believe that the Labour Party will fail in its elementary duty. But every lover of peace should make it his or her business to see that the Labour Party does not fail.

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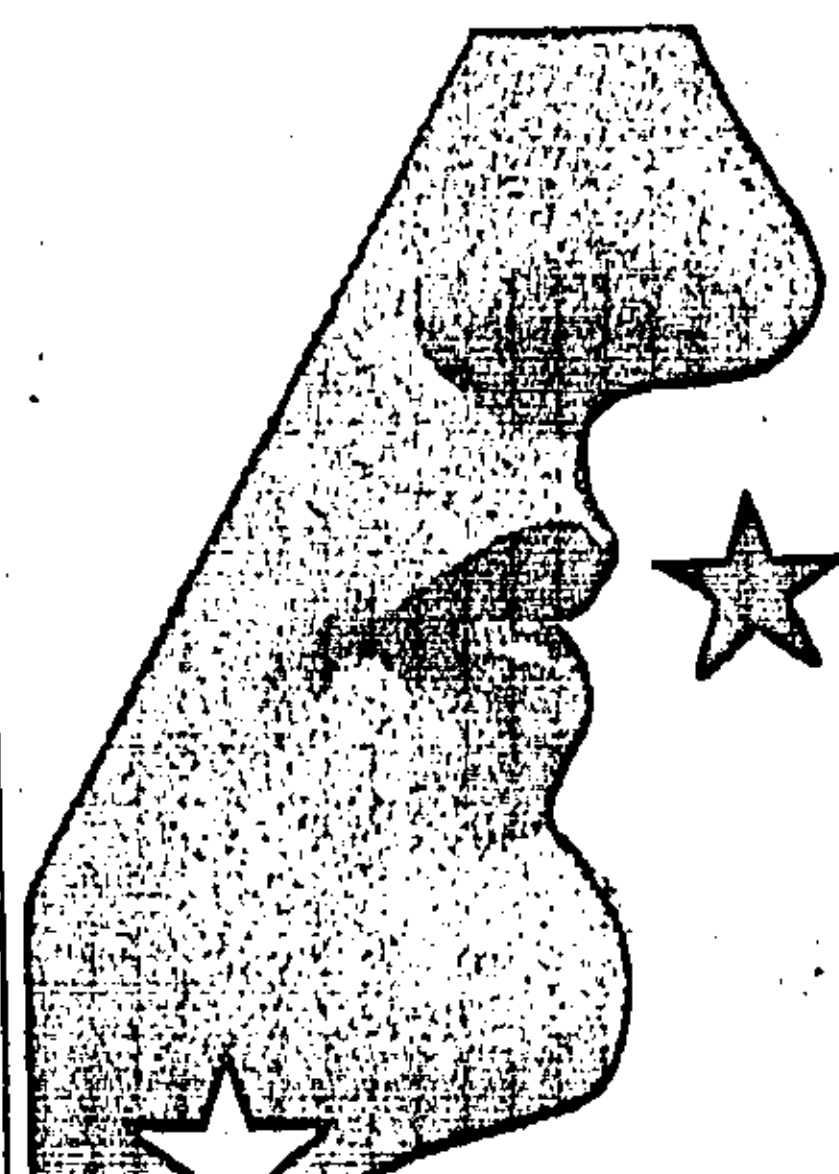
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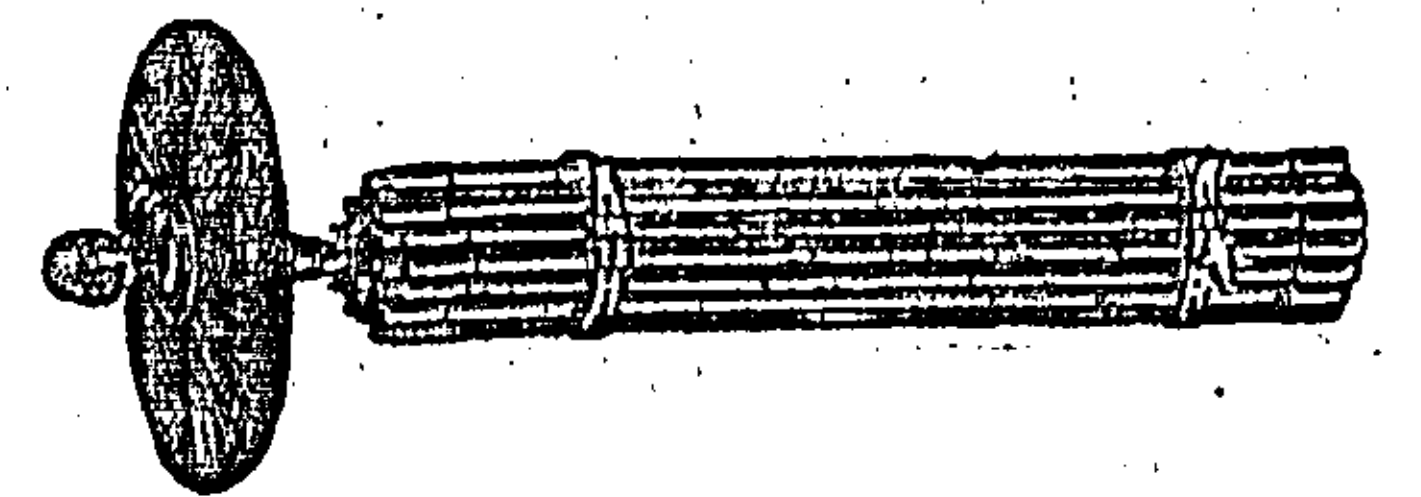
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NEW ARRANGEMENT WITH IMPERIAL AIRWAYS

London, Yesterday.

A note by the Secretary for Air on the proposed arrangements with Imperial Airways for the continued operation of the air services connecting Hong Kong and West Africa with the main Empire routes was issued to-day.

It states it is proposed to provide a more efficient service by increasing the frequency of operation from once to twice weekly in each direction.

A further improvement of the service to enable all first class mail to and from Hong Kong to be carried on the route without surcharge is under consideration but this cannot be undertaken until the full Empire services between the United Kingdom and Singapore provided for in the Empire agreement of June 1937 are in operation.

The new agreement which it is now proposed to conclude with Imperial Airways will provide for the operation of two services weekly in each direction between Bangkok and Hong Kong by way of Udorn, Hanoi and Fort Bayard for a period not exceeding one year from 23rd March. The maximum subsidy payable will be £26,000 for a full period of one year and pro rata for any lesser period.

The Hong Kong Government has agreed to continue the contribution which they are at present making of one-sixth of the subsidy payable to the Company.—British Wireless.

HOKU FALLS AFTER SIEGE OF A WEEK

Tientsin, Yesterday.

Twenty thousand Chinese troops are now facing the Japanese across the Yellow River in north-western Shanai according to despatches received this morning.

Following a siege of almost a week Japanese troops occupied Hoku yesterday morning and instead of consolidating their positions pushed on to the Yellow River.

All attempts to cross the River yesterday were frustrated.

An unconfirmed report this morning states that late last night the Japanese crossed the River.—Trans-Ocean.

UNDERGRADUATE MARRIED

Mr. Li Hing-lan, an undergraduate of the Hong Kong University, son of Mr. Li Wing-loong, well-known local merchant, and Missaisy Laung, B.A., daughter of Mr. Leung Chak-tsun, chairman of the Pharmacy Dispensary, were married at the Registry yesterday morning.

The forthcoming wedding of Mr. William Wu, of No. 126, Gloucester Road, and Miss Benedicta Seana, of No. 12, Arbutnot Road, has been announced.

WAFDIST BOYCOTT DENIED

Cairo, Yesterday.
The Wafd Party has summoned a rally of all its election candidates, as well as all former Wafd Deputies and Senators for Sunday.

At the rally the general situation will be discussed and the future Wafd attitude decided upon. Rumours of a boycott of the election by the Wafd are denied by a party spokesman.—Trans-Ocean.

BACHELOR TAX DEMANDED IN FRANCE

Paris, Yesterday.

Introduction of a bachelor tax was demanded by the Association for Combating the Decline in the Birthrate, in a letter addressed to the Premier yesterday.

France will have more old men than able-bodied men in a few decades if the birthrate does not increase, says the Association, which demands that a bachelor tax be introduced, the proceeds from which to be paid out in the form of a "baby bonus."—Trans-Ocean.

Yangtze Still Closed To Foreign Shipping

Tokyo, Yesterday.

Questioned by foreign correspondents whether the Yangtze River was still blocked to foreign shipping, an Admiralty spokesman said yesterday that shipping on the Yangtze for the time being still "entailed risks."

Only recently, he said, a small Japanese vessel had struck a floating mine.

For that reason, shipping on the waterway could not yet be generally resumed but he hoped confidently that this could be done in the near future.—Trans-Ocean.

DR. SCHACHT RE-APPOINTED

Berlin, Yesterday.

Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, whose term of office as President of the Reichsbank expires on March 16, was reappointed yesterday by Herr Hitler for a further period of four years in accordance with paragraph 6 of the Reichsbank Law.—Trans-Ocean.



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JAPANESE SPRING
ATTACK ON VLADIVOSTOK?

Gen. Kato's Warning: Speculation

FOREIGNER
ON TRIAL
IN PALESTINE

Jerusalem, Yesterday.
For the first time since the
setting up of military tribunals
in Palestine, a foreigner has
been brought up for trial, name-
ly an Arab who is a United
States citizen by naturalisation.
The Arab, Issa Kintim, is
charged with having been an
accomplice in a bomb outrage
against a Jewish cafe in Jerusa-
lem.
He is alleged to have aided
the escape of the bomb throw-
er.—Trans-Ocean.

Diet's Resistance
To Mobilisation
Measure

Shanghai, Yesterday.

Rumour is making great play in Japanese cir-
cles with the statement by General Kato in
the Diet, announcing that the Japanese Army
is to take action in Saghalien to "remedy the
situation on the Japan-Soviet border."

According to professedly well-informed quar-
ters, the future of events in the Far East de-
pends upon passage of the National Mobil-
isation Bill, with which the militarists, who
now have the complete support of Prince
Konoye, intend to brook no interference.

It is predicted that once the
National Mobilisation Bill has
been passed, the Diet will find
that they have surrendered
every control into the hands of
the militarists.

More than likely is a step
to bring about the dissolution
of all existing political parties,
and the creation of one
National Party (Fascist in
organisation) the policy of
which will be subject to dic-
tation by the military leaders.

It is freely stated that once
this has taken place an attack on
Soviet Russia is possible at the
slightest provocation.

RED PLAGUE

A high Japanese official is quoted
as having said: "The burden of
wiping out the 'Red Plague' has
fallen on the shoulders of Japan
and she will not fail in discharg-
ing her duty."

"The Bible says that sin was
wiped off the face of the earth by
a great flood. So will the sons
of the Rising Sun wipe away the
Red Plague."

Feeling in Japan, it is stated,
is that the present, when Soviet
Russia is finding her whole at-
tention concentrated on internal
troubles, is the best moment for
the "inevitable Russo-Japanese
clash in the Far East."

IN THE SPRING?

It is even prophesied here that
the Spring will see the outbreak
of hostilities, with the develop-
ment of warmer weather and the
thawing of the ice as the signal
for a Japanese naval attack on
Vladivostok.

It is hinted that as soon as
the National Mobilisation Bill
has been passed, the Govern-
ment will take advantage of its
terms for the purpose of raising
fresh revenue by new forms of
taxation for which the approval
of the Diet will not be neces-
sary.

Suspensions in the more liberal
sections of the Japanese political
field, and on the Left, that such
is the likely sequel to compliance
with the Government's demand for
quick passage of the Bill are said
to account for the Diet's policy of
passive resistance.—Our Own
Correspondent.

ANOTHER
SOVIET MASS
TRIAL COMING

Moscow, Yesterday.
Yesterday's newspapers report
that another mass trial will start
in the provinces in a few days
time.

"Pravda" says that dozens of
railway officials will be tried on a
charge of joining the Trotskyist
terrorist organisation.

One of these railwayman, the
paper alleges, is a member of the
old Czarist secret police, the
Ochranka.—Trans-Ocean.

CAIRO
SEMI-MILITARY
GROUPS
DISSOLVED

Cairo, Yesterday.

All existing political organisa-
tions of a military character were
dissolved by a decree which King
Farouk signed yesterday morning.
The bill means that the Green
Shirt and Blue Shirt Wafd organ-
isations will cease to exist.

All uniforms, badges and arms
of these semi-military formations
have to be handed over to the
state.

Official reason for the measure
is that the organisations were be-
coming a menace to public
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Bonds	3,098,603.93
Stocks (market value \$936,322.85)	886,621.92
Policy Loans (within reserve)	5,338,687.55
Home Office Building and Other Real Estate	2,539,959.34
Collateral Loans	89,744.52
Net Premiums Outstanding and Deferred (secured by legal reserve)	812,189.50
Interest and Rents due and Accrued	147,020.36
Cash in Banks, in Office and in Transit	505,450.70
Other Assets	163,560.43

TOTAL ADMITTED ASSETS . . . U.S.\$23,885,723.28

LIABILITIES

Reserve on All Outstanding Policies	U.S.\$21,698,853.25
Reserve for Death claims reported	198,602.47
Interest and Premiums Paid in Advance	204,671.58
Reserve for Taxes Payable in 1938	43,109.54
Sundry Liabilities	145,737.98
Reserve for Policyholders' Dividends	222,491.84
Contingency Reserve for Investments	330,000.00
Capital Stock	\$375,000.00
Unassigned Surplus	667,256.62
SURPLUS FUNDS FOR PROTECTION OF POLICYHOLDERS	1,042,256.62

TOTAL U.S.\$23,885,723.28

Business in Force increased to	U.S.\$118,105,902.00
New Premiums	707,804.19
Increase of	6.8%
Total Premiums received	4,170,816.28
Increase of	3.2%
Total Income	5,498,898.46
Total Paid Policyholders to date	40,220,160.74

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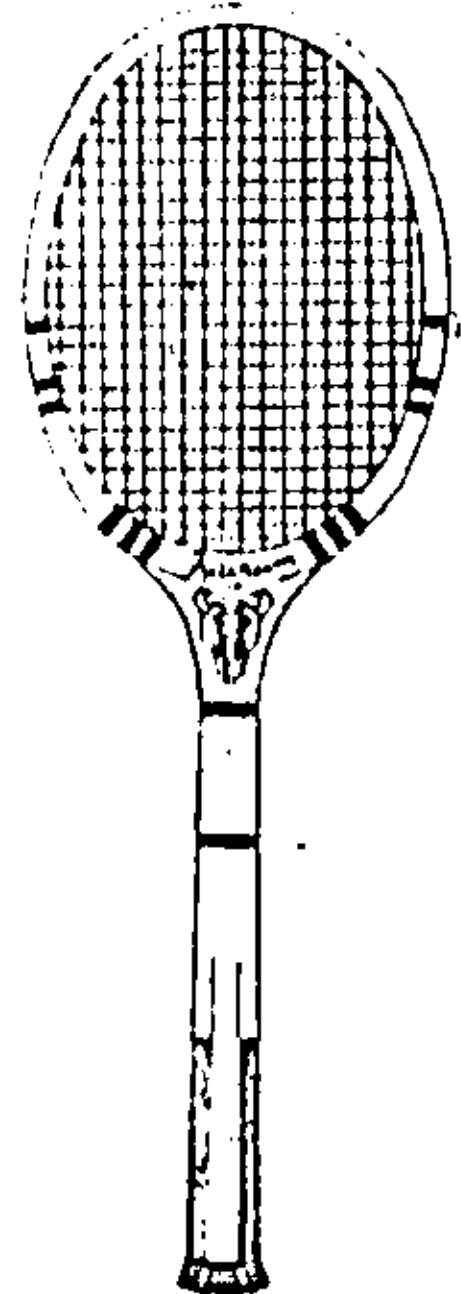
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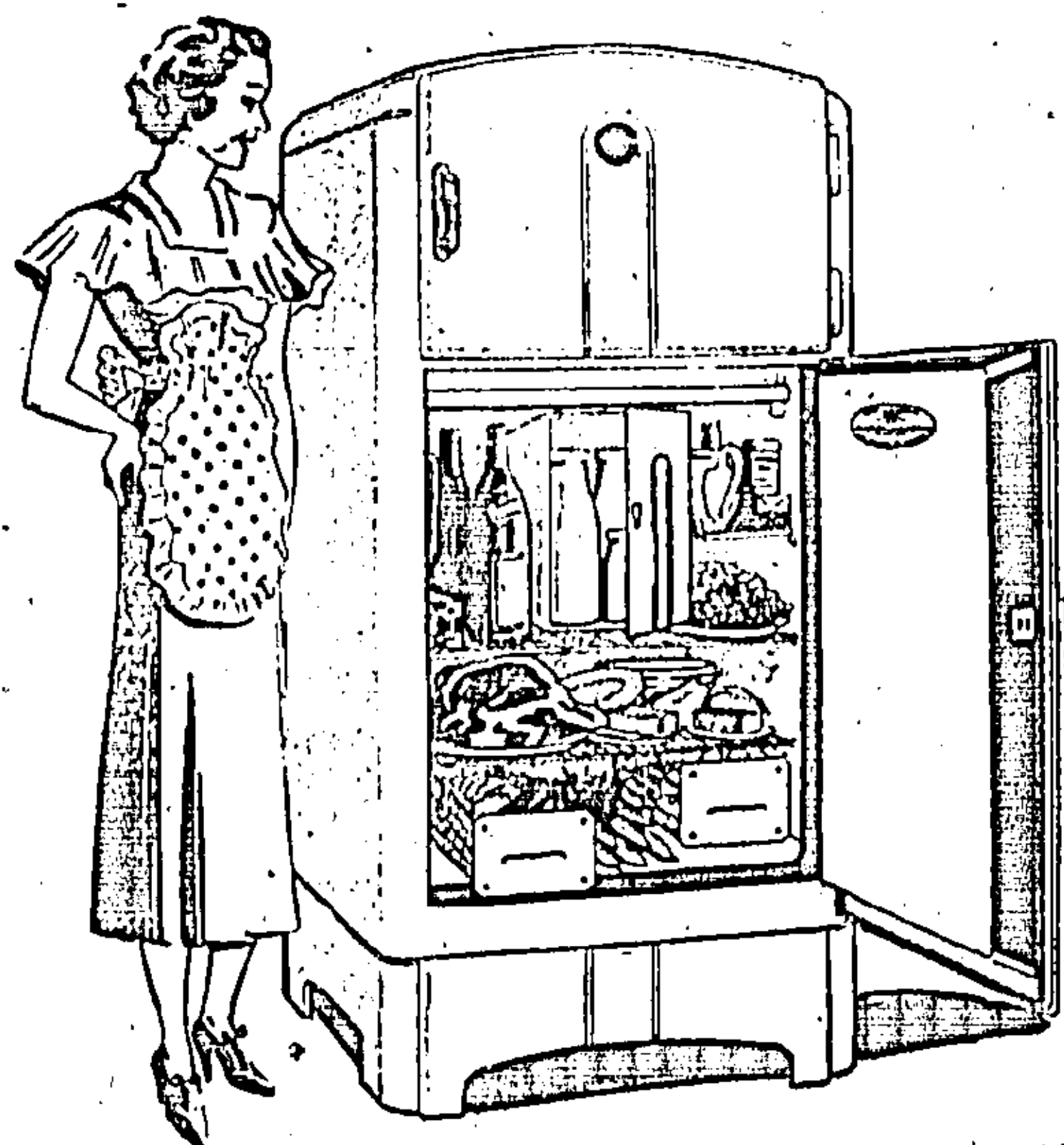
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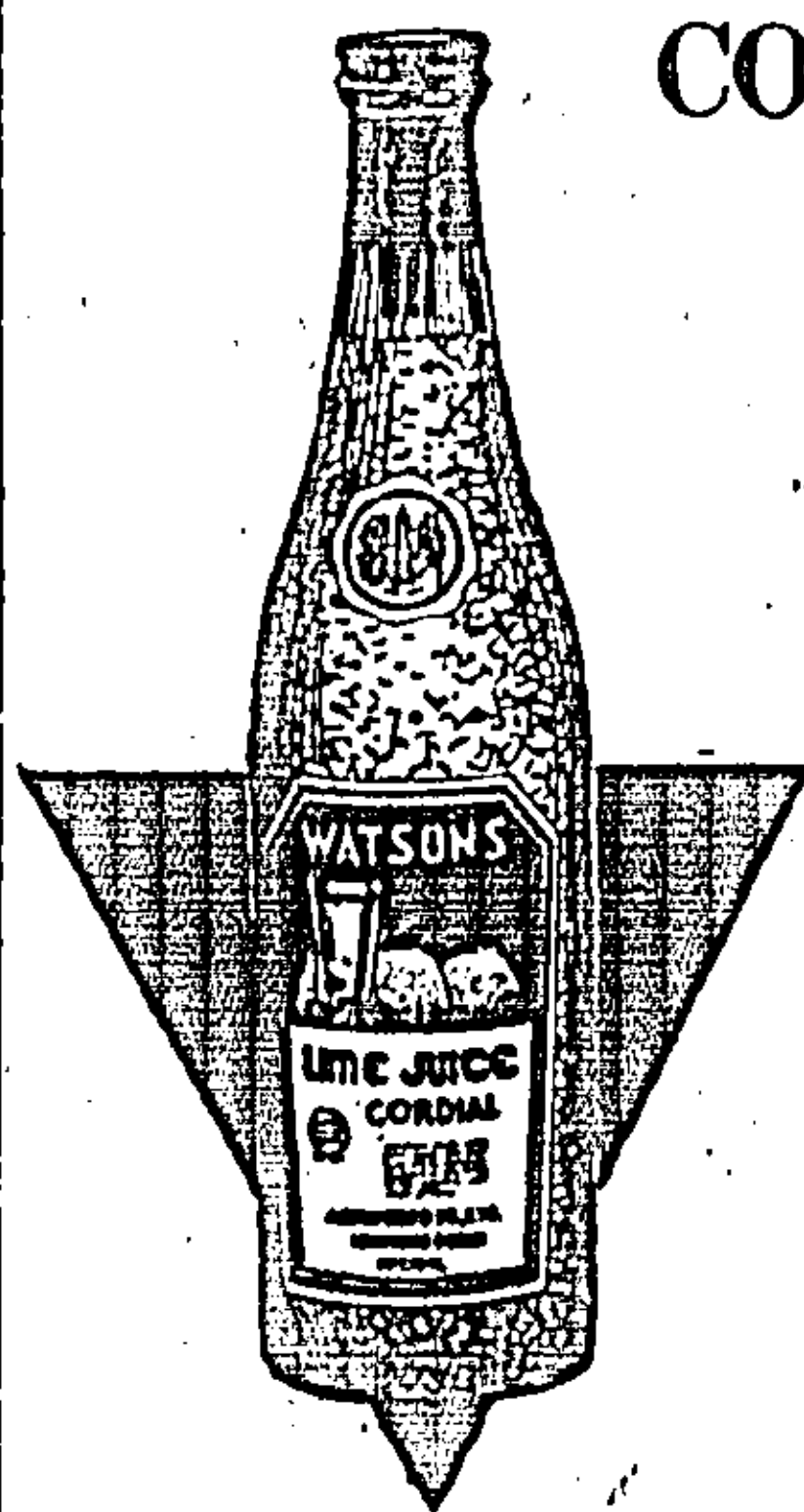
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The Hong Kong Sunday Herald

HONG KONG, SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 1938.

PEACE MEDIATION RUMOURS

MOVES on the diplomatic chessboard habitually mean much more than meets the eye. A few months ago when rumours spread and grew that Japan was seeking German mediation of the Sino-Japanese war, they were generally discredited by careful observers. It was felt that Japan might be feeling the severity of the strain and be throwing out a trial balloon to test the Chinese response, but the idea was not seriously entertained that Herr Hitler's preoccupations were likely to include readiness to intervene as a peace-maker in the Far East. In the final showdown, however, it was revealed that Dr. Trautmann in Hankow and Dr. Dirksen in Tokyo had made a serious effort at mediation extended over a long period and that it was only the failure of Dr. Dirksen to persuade the Japanese Government substantially to modify their terms that led to the abandonment of the effort when Chiang Kai-shek's rejection of Mr. Hirota's four points was certain. Now somewhat similar rumours are circulating regarding the activities of Sir Archibald Clark-Kerr in Shanghai, the suggestion being that the British Ambassador left England with clear instructions for a compromise offer to be made to Japan and, in the event of a good reception, tendered to the Generalissimo on his arrival in Hankow.

How much truth there is behind the reports, it is impossible at this stage to suggest. Much has been made of the fact that Sir Archibald, following conversations with Mr. Hirada, Secretary to the Japanese Embassy, discussed affairs with Mr. Shiratori, former Japanese Ambassador in Sweden, and significance has been attached to the delay announced in the departure of the British Ambassador for Hong Kong, en route to Hankow and Chungking. The reports emanate from Japanese sources. They conflict with declarations by Mr. Hirota in the Diet. On Wednesday the Foreign Minister stated specifically that no peace negotiations were in progress, and that the good offices of a third Power had been neither sought nor encouraged. Whether there is any foundation for the repeated hints, therefore, can only be shown by events.

Some might be tempted to assume that Britain could well adopt the role of mediator. It is certain that China would welcome Britain's aid if it meant that peace could be achieved without loss of honour and without sacrifice of the principle of territorial integrity. What is more doubtful is whether Japan would be prepared to reduce her own requirements to the extent which would enable Britain to go to Chiang Kai-shek and honestly recommend his acceptance of a compromise offer. Even since Dr. Trautmann's efforts failed, the situation has undergone a change and it has been a change which is definitely not more favourable to the conclusion of an early peace. Sir Archibald Clark-Kerr stated whilst in Hong Kong that he would willingly adopt the role of mediator if his services were sought. But that is quite a different matter from taking the initiative. It is as well, too, to remember two other factors. Japan's militarists have made up their minds as to their future course, from which they are unlikely to be diverted by "Foreign Office meddling" at this stage. Secondly, recent increase of Japanese pressure in several fields is indication enough that the British Ambassador will need his energies in the defence of British rights and interests without embarking on a forlorn hope. Britain has long lost any illusions about the situation in the Far East. Japan reiterates her guarantee that the rights of third Powers will be fully protected, but experience in Manchukuo has already illustrated what happens to the "Open Door" in a puppet state which Japan had specified for North and Central China and the first condition in any proposals for a settlement. It would appear that, with the best will in the world of interested parties, real mediation still has to wait a long time for hospitable conditions.

What will be the final outcome of the German military invasion of Austria, in support of the international coup d'état by Dr. Zeiss-Inquart, it is impossible at this moment to predict. The one thing established is that Austria to-day, as the result of Friday's dramatic events, is a German dependency. Taking an objective view of developments, if that is possible in the atmosphere of acute tension which has inevitably followed, the Nazi seizure appears to be a precipitation of the fact of absorption of Austria by Germany, already foreshadowed by the Berchtesgaden concessions wrung out of Dr. Schuschnigg. In that sense, the Austrian Chancellor brought the issue to a head by his own act.

The assertion of his country's independence has been the cardinal feature of Dr. Schuschnigg's policy. Berchtesgaden dictation was extremely distasteful to his patriotism and pride. His plan to shake himself clear of the Nazi shackles by calling a plebiscite for to-day, a plebiscite which Germany and the Nazis were obviously convinced would result in an overwhelming victory for Dr. Schuschnigg, was brilliantly and boldly conceived, and against less determined opponents would almost certainly have succeeded. He failed to reckon fully with the possibility of German readiness to use force "to protect the peace and good order of Austria" or was possibly misled by indications from Italy favouring the idea that the plebiscite would solve the immediate problems both of Austria and Italy regarding the fate of the appendages of Vienna. The ultimatums presented on Friday were pre-emptory and a direct outcome of Dr. Schuschnigg's challenge.

In his broadcast, Dr. Schuschnigg. Dr. Arthur Zeiss-Inquart.

**Battle Of Ideas: by D. Stark Murray
Should Medicine Be Just A Trade?**

THROUGHOUT the world the medical profession has reached a critical stage in its development, and changes are forecast for nearly every civilised country. Technically and clinically, medicine has achieved many triumphs, and has attained a standard which is very high.

Advances in the last forty or fifty years have been rapid, and although new discoveries are still being made and will continue to be made, doctors have every reason to be proud of the knowledge they have acquired both as to preventing and curing disease.

Nevertheless, medical practice remains almost entirely unorganised, each individual doctor running his own practice (or at most sharing it with one or two others). In almost every country "medicine is a service that is purchased by the patient and sold by the physician under a competitive system."

The doctor has to make use of, and the patient has to depend on, a great variety of agencies, so that we have side by side "State medicine, insurance medicine, charity medicine, and private medicine."

In England matters have reached such a stage that "The Times" says in a leader that "a dangerous gap exists between public and private health services" and claims that "there must be team work" so that all available medical forces work together in a service which recognises that preventive and curative medicine must go hand in hand.

In clinical medicine, doctors are always ready to accept ideas and to follow results from other countries. Internationalism is indeed one of the outstanding features of medicine. In reorganising the profession, doctors must be equally ready to follow ideas that have been tried out in other countries.

Of the greatest importance are the methods of medical practice now in operation in Russia. The publication of Dr. H. E. Sigerist's book, "Socialised Medicine in the Soviet Union" (Gollancz, 16s.), gives an opportunity to study these methods, as this is the first full account of the conditions of medical practice in the U.S.S.R.

THIS WEEK

nigg made no pretence that his resignation was other than a surrender to force. Dr. Miklas, the President, appears to have made a last minute move in an attempt to retrieve the collapse, but Nazi occupation of the broadcasting station prevented any attempt to rally the country. After that, the Fatherland Front was in no position to offer any resistance, with the knowledge that it could no longer count on the backing of Italy. What Rome thinks, it is keeping to itself. The meaning of the French invitation to consultation will not, however, lose anything in significance in Berlin.

Czecho-Slovakian mobilisation reports have been denied, but long Cabinet discussions proclaim the anxiety of Prague. For the Czechs, the Austrian surrender involves the prospect of ultimate partition. Dr. Benes will find it difficult not to recognise in this, the Fuehrer's latest move, what is perhaps a manifestation of the new spirit which has been infused into German foreign policy as a consequence of the purge. And Herr Hitler's speech, following Berchtesgaden, did not fail to refer to the Sudeten Germans.

Britain and France both despatched demarches to Berlin, and the text of the British Note should leave no doubt of the seriousness with which the Chamberlain Cabinet takes the coup d'état. By a fortunate chance, Herr von Ribbentrop, the German Foreign Minister, was lunching with the Premier as news showing the course events were taking was pouring into London, and Mr. Chamberlain had opportunity of a personal expression of Britain's disquiet.

who has already adopted the post of Chancellor, is a Viennese lawyer who two years ago was working with the Nazis and was appointed under the July, 1936, agreement as "conciliator" to remove the bitter feeling left after the Nazi assassination of Dr. Dollfuss.

Anglo-Italian talks, suspended following exploratory discussions on Wednesday, are likely to be prejudiced by the Austrian situation. The Fascist Grand Council sat on Friday to discuss Anglo-Italian relations and found itself almost wholly occupied by the news of the German march across the Austrian border. A further session was called for last night. A quick agreement or a breakdown are two possibilities. It is impossible for either Mussolini or Lord Perth to proceed as though the political outlook has not undergone an important change.

The Defence debate and subsequent Parliamentary discussions all showed, inconsequently or with a purpose, that British preparations are further advanced than had been supposed. The influence of the oratory is, however, difficult to detect.

In France, the Chautemps Government fell on the refusal of the Left to consent to an Empowering Bill. Austria did more to facilitate M. Blum's task of forming a new Ministry than anything else could possibly have done.

The Diet in Japan fought the National Mobilisation Bill against all the pressure exerted by the Cabinet and the militarists. Motives are suspect by political parties. Their refusal to budge showed that even in Japan things are not altogether what they seem.

SCRUTATOR.

that has been written.

It is not in what has already been done but in what is proposed and the idea motivating these proposals that Russia points the way for other countries. The ideas are not, as Dr. Sigerist suggests, peculiar to Communism and may not all be adaptable to British conditions, but they point the way.

Principal conception is that all medical services must be unified so that "health can be planned on a large scale." The service must be available to all, and both prevention and cure must be made universally possible. It is not only the doctors who are concerned in this, but the whole population, for

"It is a mistake of capitalist medicine to assume that disease can be fought successfully by the medical corps alone. It is like going to war with officers but without soldiers. The entire population has to be mobilised permanently to win health."

Other features of Soviet medicine are the provision of sanatoria and prophylactoria. The latter are designed for the prevention of

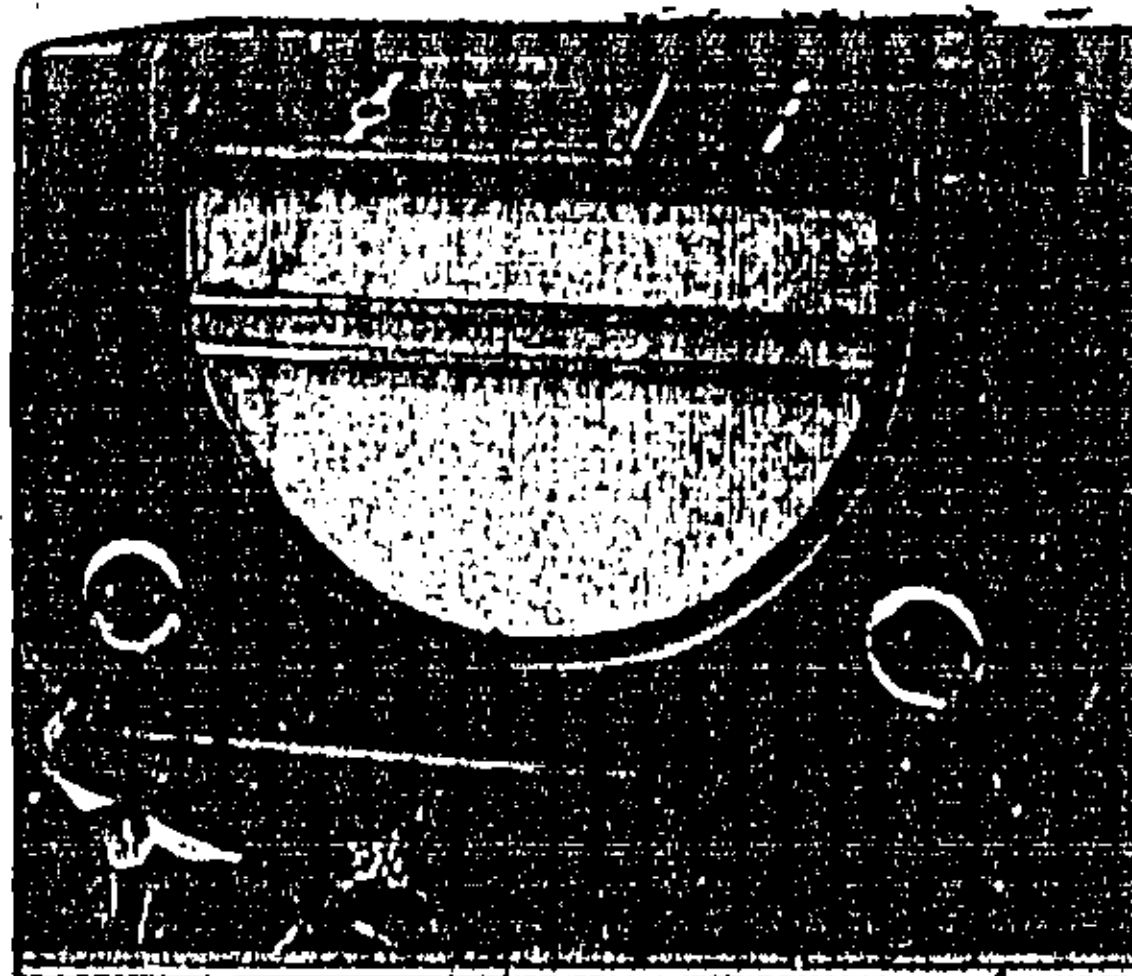
disease and for its arrest in the earliest stages.

Research is also looked at from a different angle, and the finest buildings and best equipment are research institutes in which very important work is going on. Since all medical services are unified it is possible to organise research on a kind of "mass-production" basis whereby anyone who is successfully tackling an especially difficult problem will obtain material and cases from a very wide area and so enable him to make a complete study of the condition in a short time.

In England no voluntary organisation could do this, but a body like the London County Council might do it (and has actually made a start), through the municipal hospitals.

Russia can teach us something of organisation and give us new ideas to ponder over, but she cannot show us better doctors, as individuals, than we have in Britain.

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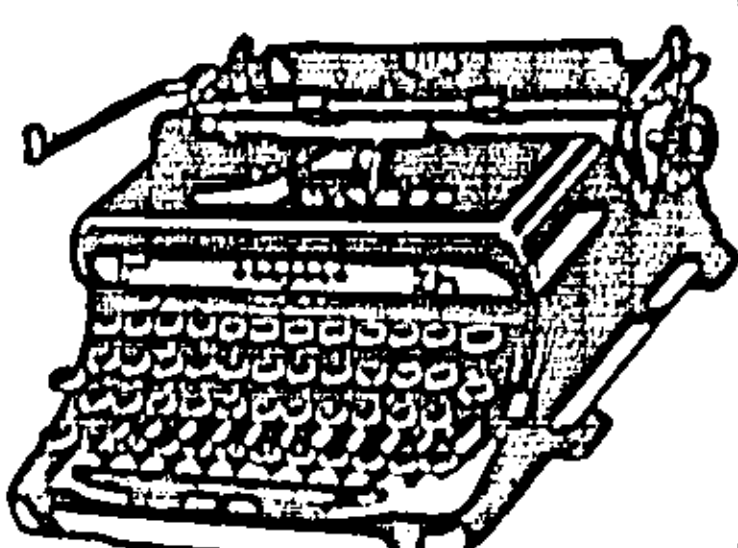
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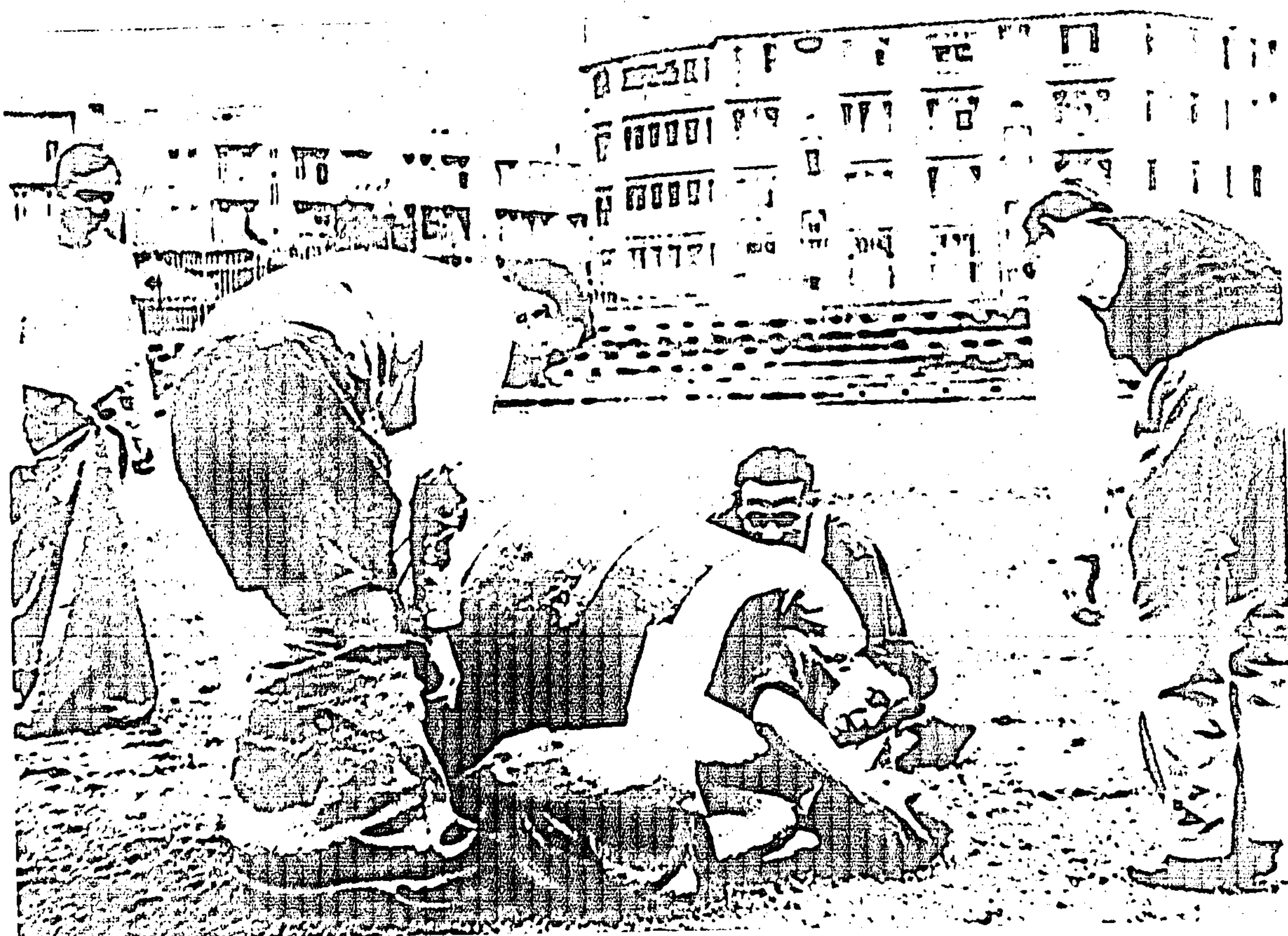
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PICTORIAL MAGAZINE SECTION

HONG KONG. MARCH 13 1938

HAPPY
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It does look a trifle freakish, doesn't it? It all happened during the interval in the Blarney Stone Shield final last Saturday, when a game in which the chief ingredients seemed to be barrels and sacks, and, of course, a rugger ball, was played. ("Herald" photo).

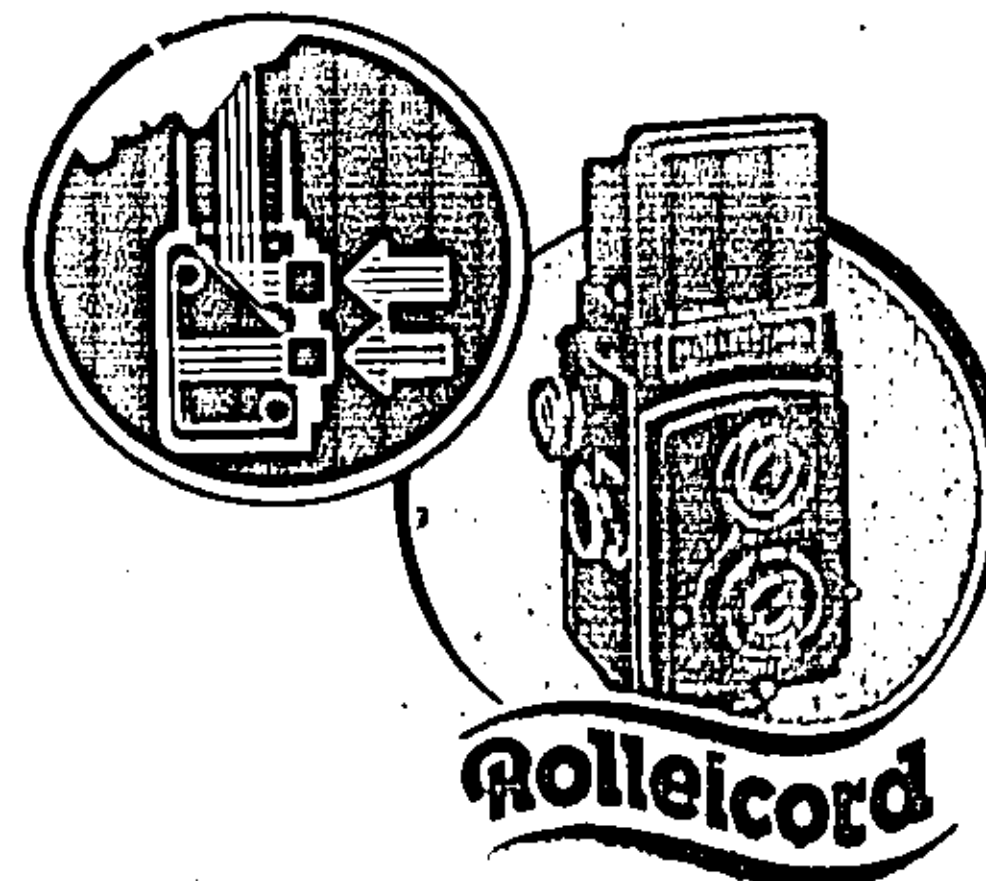
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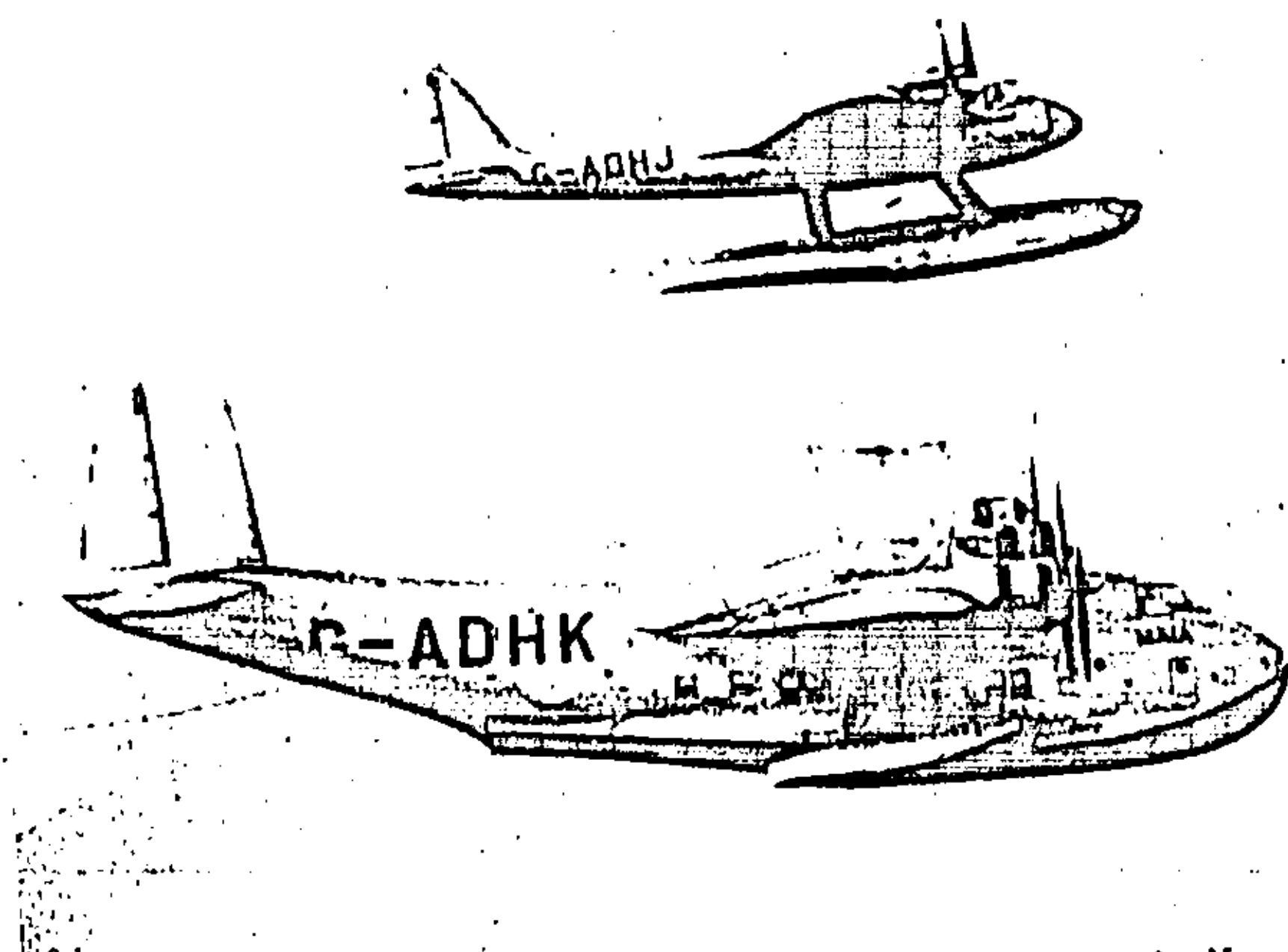
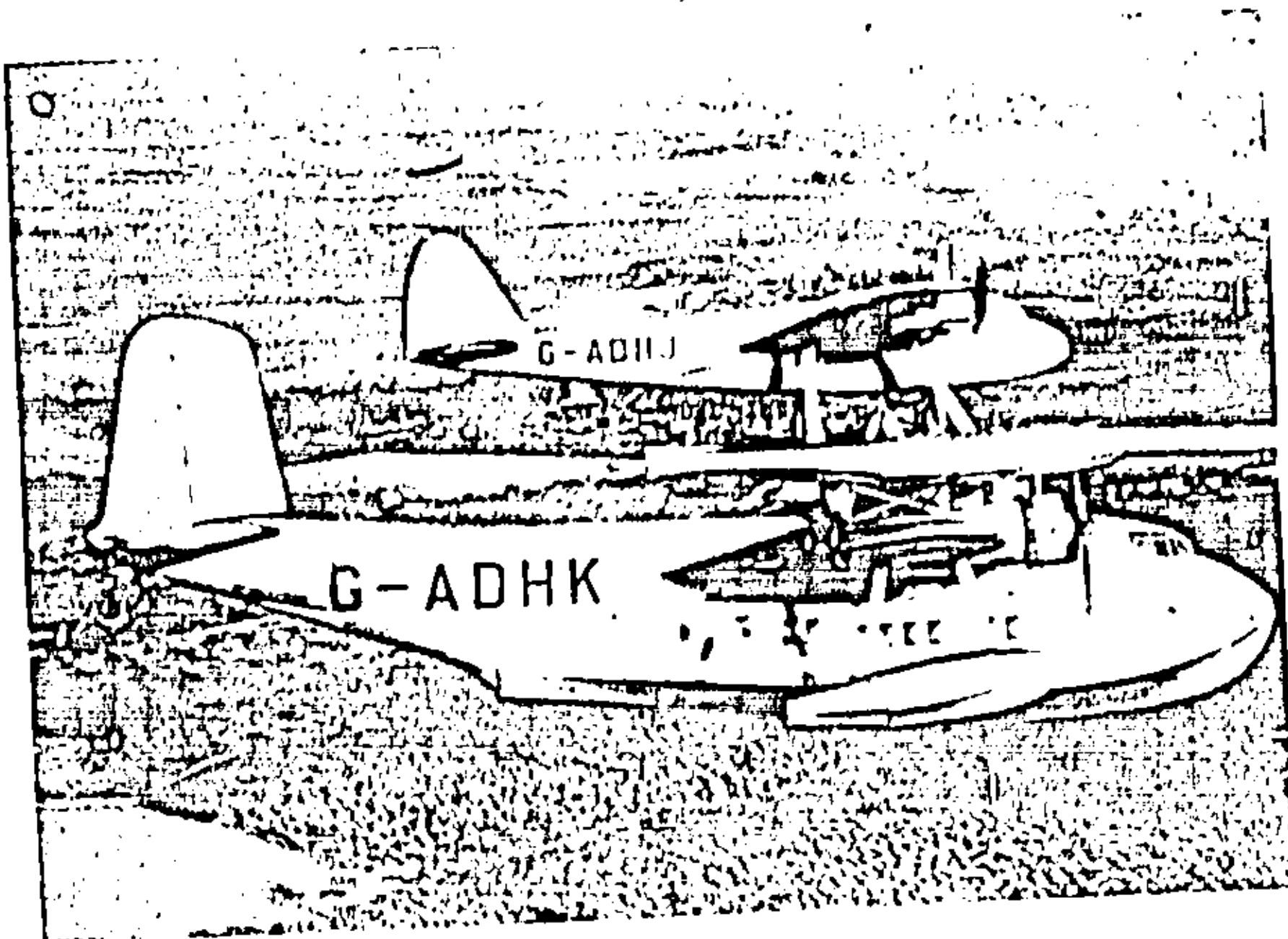
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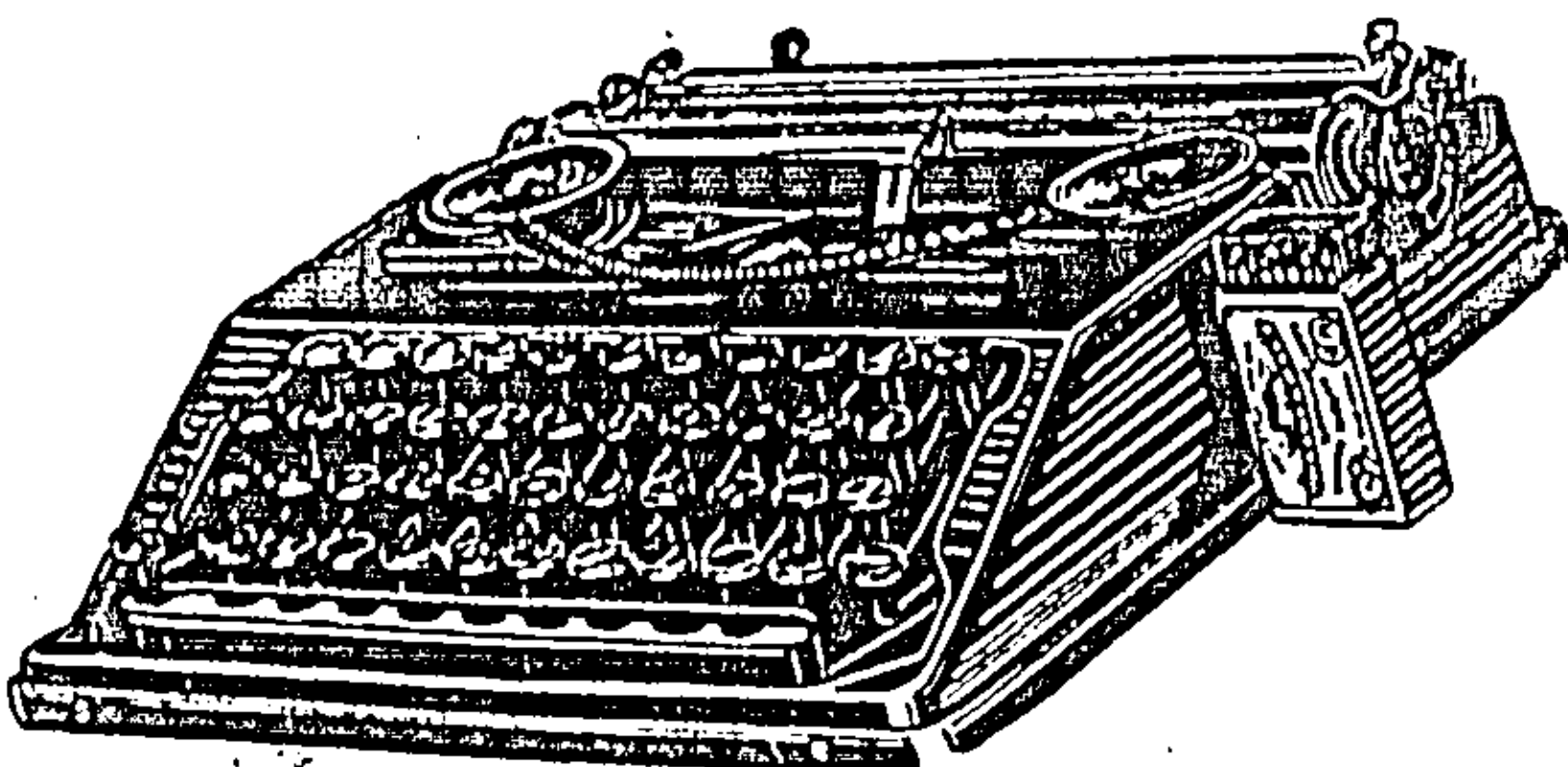
Nice was gayer than ever on Feb. 21 when the Great Carnival opened. The weather was perfect, and the great grotesque figures gave a feeling of hilarity to the mobs who collected to watch. The huge figure of King Carnival, seated astride a parrot, which took six months to make, dominated the proceedings. Photo shows grotesque figures in the procession amuse spectators in the Place Massena, main square of Nice. (Copyright: By Air Mail).

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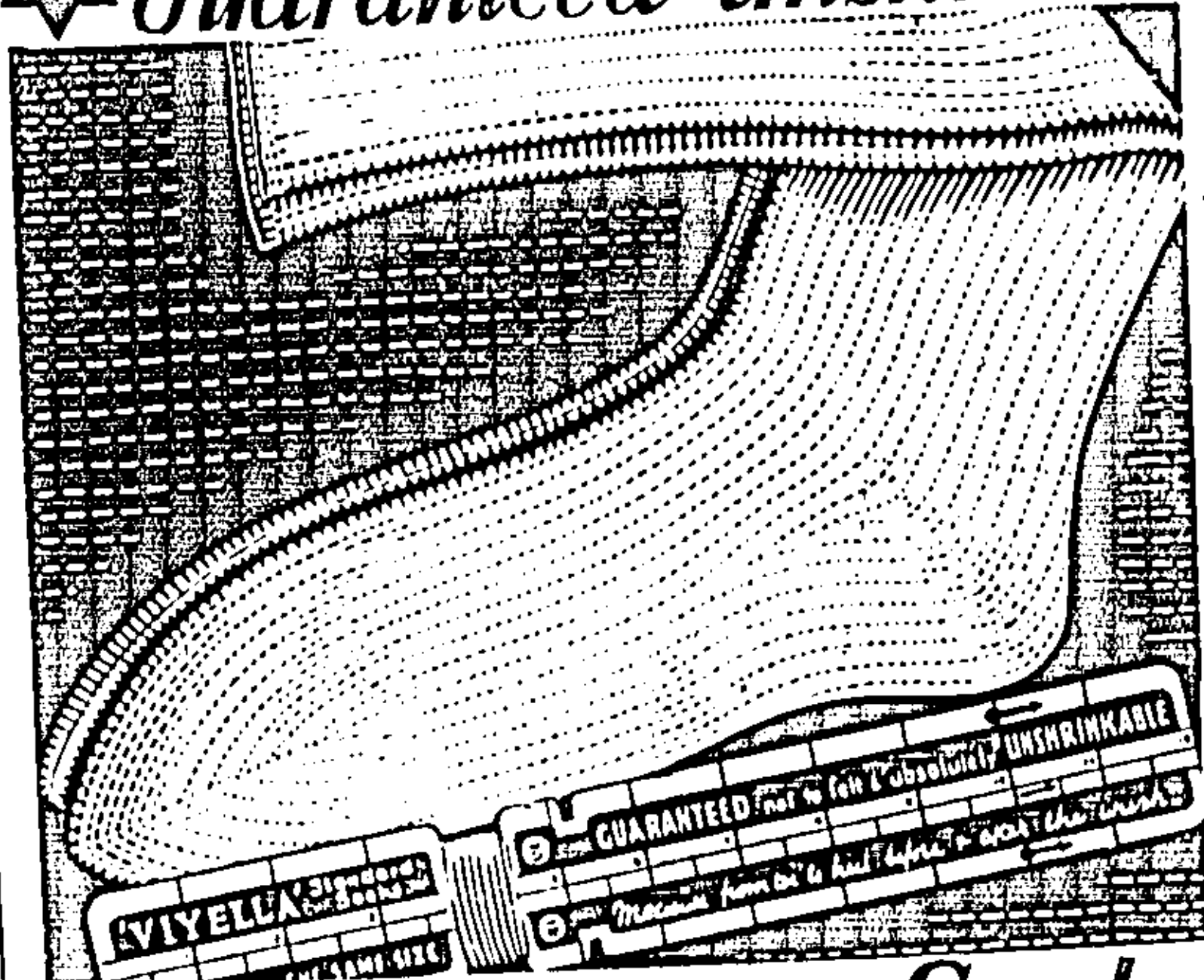
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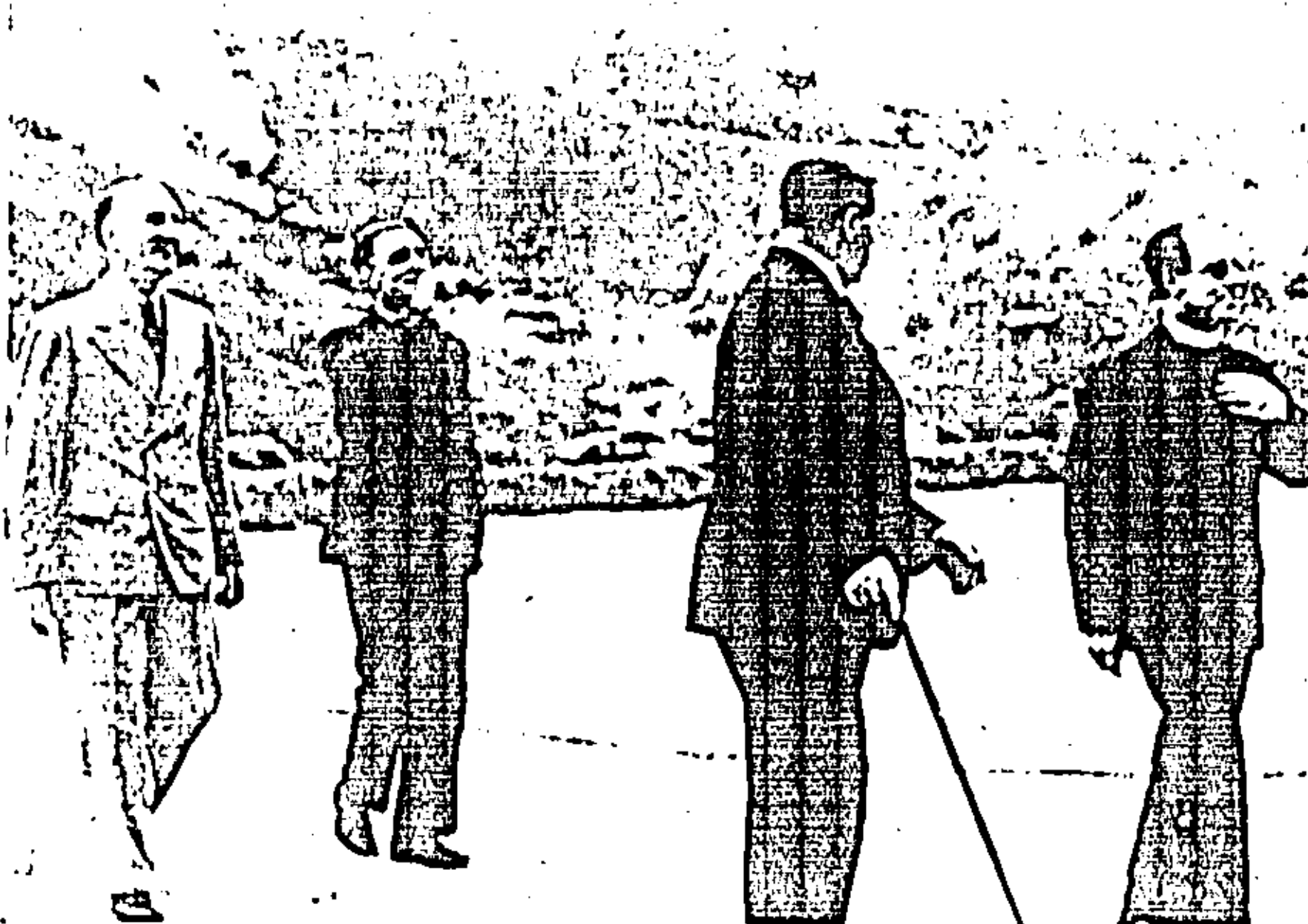
The Islington Corinthians photographed in Mamak's. Mr. S. S. Mak can be seen first from right, in turban.



A group of youngsters in fancy dress who followed the string band in its Carnival peregrinations in Macao last week. (Photo by F. Simoes).



Led by its conductor, Mr. Luis A. Gois, the Carnival "Tuna" is seen making the rounds of Macao during the four-day festival observed in the Portuguese Colony last week. (Photo by F. Simoes).



Snapped at St. Stephen's College, Stanley, last Saturday, His Excellency the Governor and the Rev. F. W. L. Martin, Warden of the College, followed by Bishop Hall and the Governor's A.D.C. ("Herald" photo).

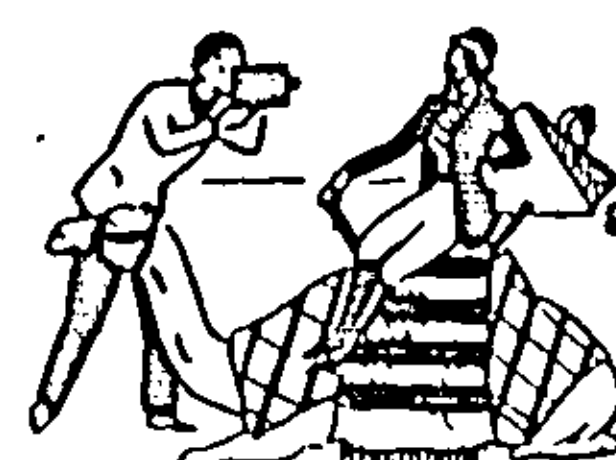
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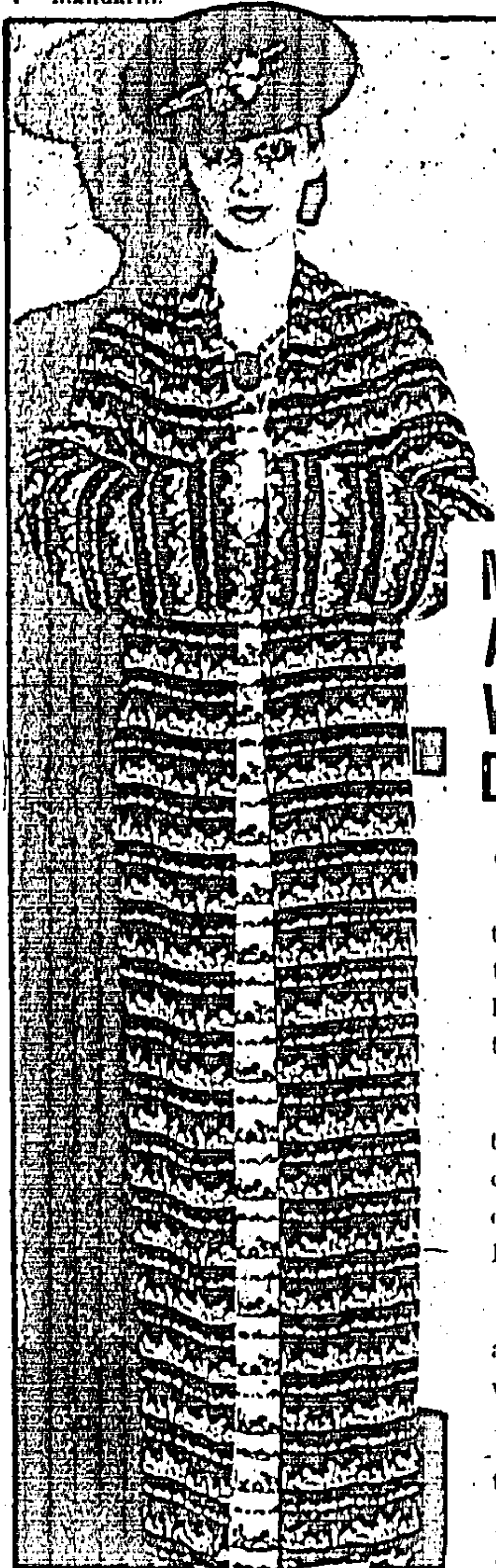
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Sheffield's psychologist vicar, the Rev. George Needham, addresses this message to the wives of his working-class parish of St. Philip's.

"A woman should try to look at her best after marriage as well as before it," he says.

He said: "A woman's charm is to some extent her good looks. During courtship she knows this and exploits it. She has the right to do the same after marriage."

"With all her household duties and children, it is difficult, but I think she ought to try. There is nothing worse for a husband than to see her untidy."

Many people regard marriage as the climax to a couple's life, and from that time man and wife become indifferent to each other.

"I think that is avoidable, especially if both parties were to look after their appearance, and a happy marriage would result. (Continued at foot of Col. 1)

"WHAT A BORE!"

Do Your Friends Say This Of You?

Do you talk about the weather? Do you talk about your children?

Do you persist in talking about a subject that is obviously boring to your companions? Do you continually tell stories that show you up in a good light?

Do you ask the same question several times over and never really listen to the answer? Do you try to focus attention on yourself, and keep it focused?

Do you prefer to air your own opinions rather than listening to those of others?

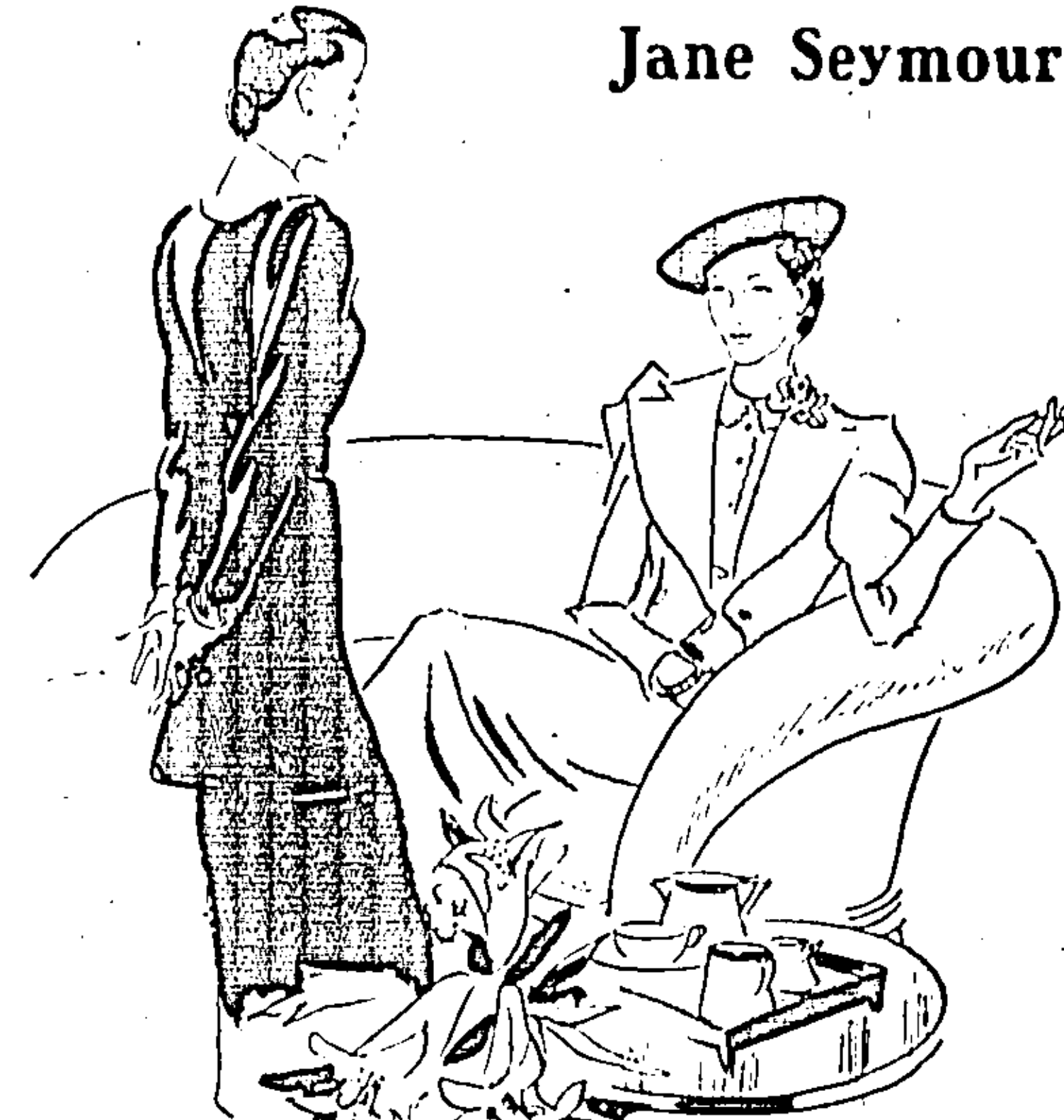
Do you become embarrassingly intense about yourself, your friends or your family?

Do you adopt a pose: i.e., a fragile little woman, a gay young thing, or pretend to be what you are not?

Do you continually ask your husband or boy friend if he still loves you as much as he did?

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WOMEN'S organisations are concerned at a new wave of prejudice against women in the professions and a tendency to strengthen the ban on the employment of married women.

They believe that the "marriage ban" in particular is robbing the community of the services of some of its best feminine brains. As a result, promotion frequently becomes purely automatic, and the women in the higher executive posts are not representative of the highest ability.

Recently, the Ministry of Labour recognised the value of a woman executive. Miss A. M. Jennings, by declining to retain her services, was a case in point.

But, as pointed out by Miss Mary Morris, acting general secretary of the National Association of Women Civil Servants, this is only the fifth case on record of a woman's services being retained in the administrative grade of the Civil Service after marriage.

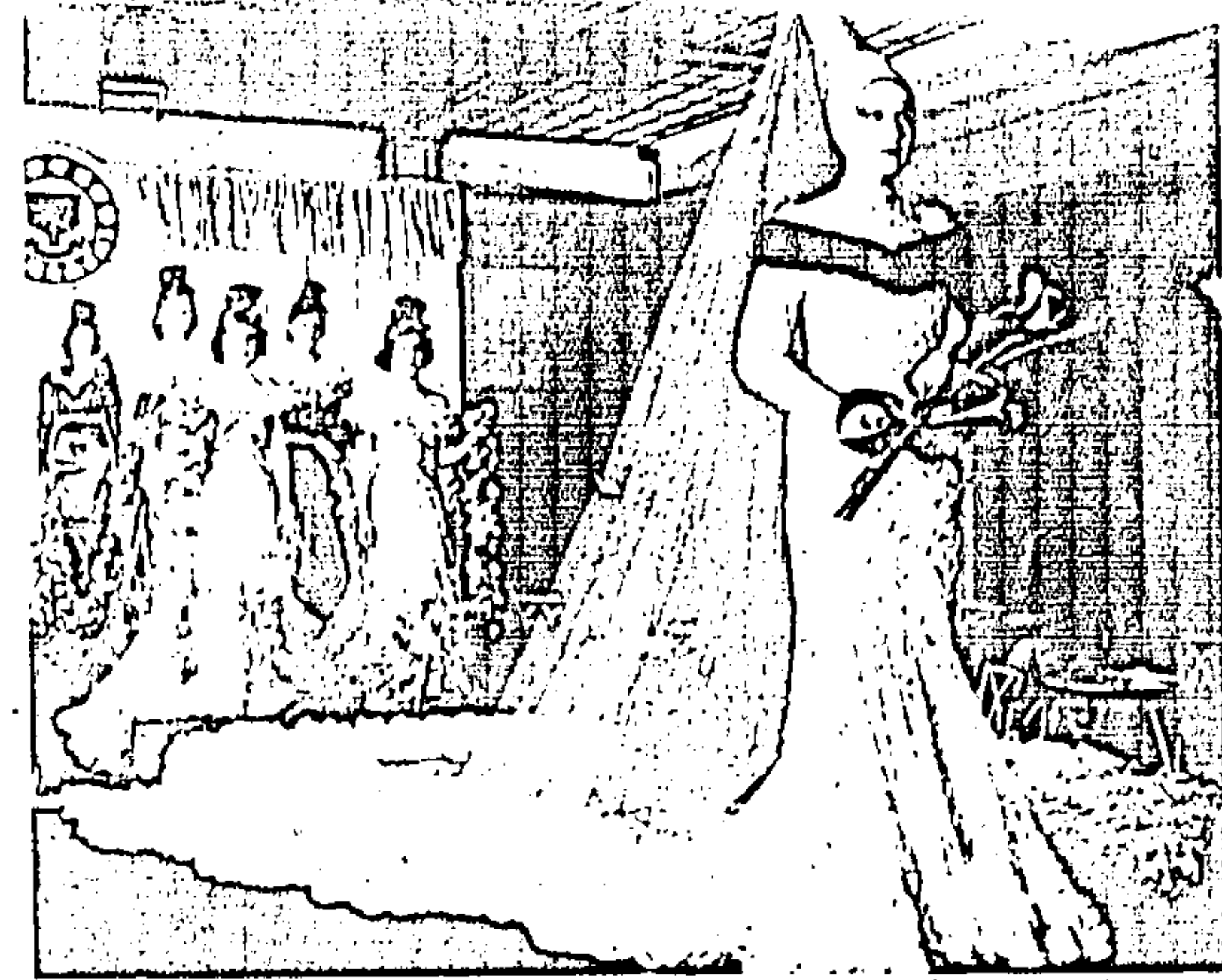
"What is happening in Fascist countries is having an influence here," she told me.

"None of the usual arguments against the employment of women after marriage are sound."

"So far as the argument about family ties is concerned, Civil servants in the higher grades do not have large families. It averages at 1.5 child among the married men in these grades."

VARSTY CRITICS

Young men from the two principal universities have indulged



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in tilts at the status of women, possibly the result of the fact that they were hopelessly out-classed by women students in the broadcast spelling between American and English universities.

"This monstrous regiment of women is a menace to our morals," declared an Oxford student in an attack on University women at the Oxford Union, when undergraduates resolved: "That this House deplores modern morality."

Meanwhile, Cambridge solemnly debated "Woman's place is in the harem."

Here is what women have to say about the undergraduates.

Miss Nancy Adam, chief woman officer of the T.U.C.: They are still children. The average working woman understands far more of practical economics than these young men. She has to work an economic miracle each week when she makes her husband's meagre earnings cover the needs of the family budget. The average undergraduate does not know what it is to shoulder responsibility.

NOT SO SMART

Miss E. E. Froud, general secretary of the National Union of Women Teachers: Young men of the Universities always think this "cult against women" is something rather smart. At the same time, it may be a reflection of the fact that women play no part in the Government of that University. I think, in the long run, present expressions of anti-feminism are going to do a lot of good. Women are gathering themselves up for a forward movement.

"What does it matter who has talent so long as humanity has the benefit of it—goodness knows it is needed!"

Miss A. Godwin, secretary of the National Association of Women Clerks and Secretaries, thought the undergraduates were merely indulging a taste for flippancies. "But," she added, "there is a tendency to push women back again. They have got to fight for their economic position."

The organisation of which Miss Godwin is secretary raised the question of the ban on the married woman worker at yesterday's conference of National Federation of Professional Workers at the Ambassadors Hotel, London.

Delegates put forward a resolution calling on local authorities with a Labour majority to abolish the ban on married women.



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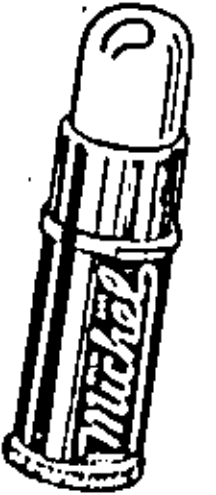
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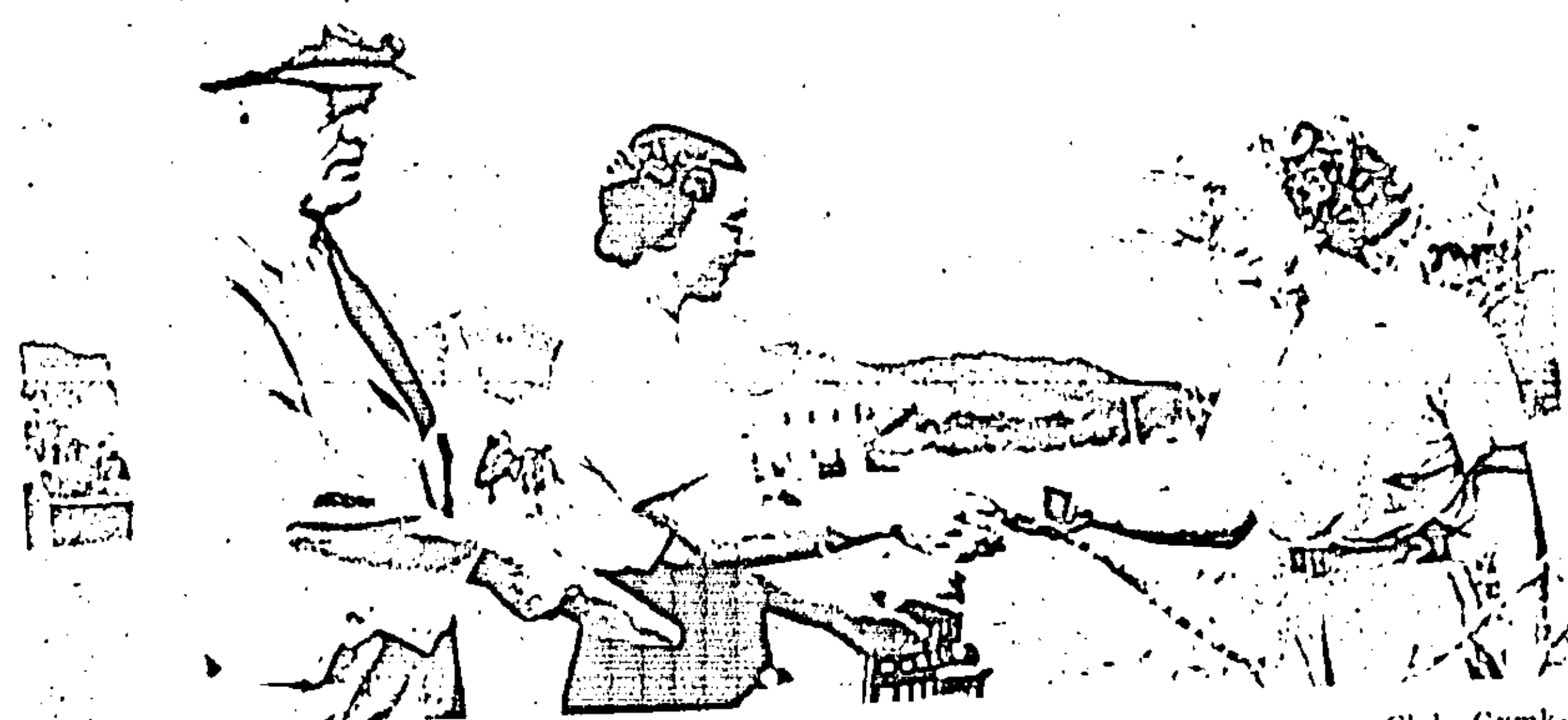
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The finish, and it looks a thrilling one too, of the Sack Race at the Penk School Sports. ("Herald" photo).



Mrs. Murphy presenting the prizes at the Cottage Club Gymkhana. ("Herald" photo).



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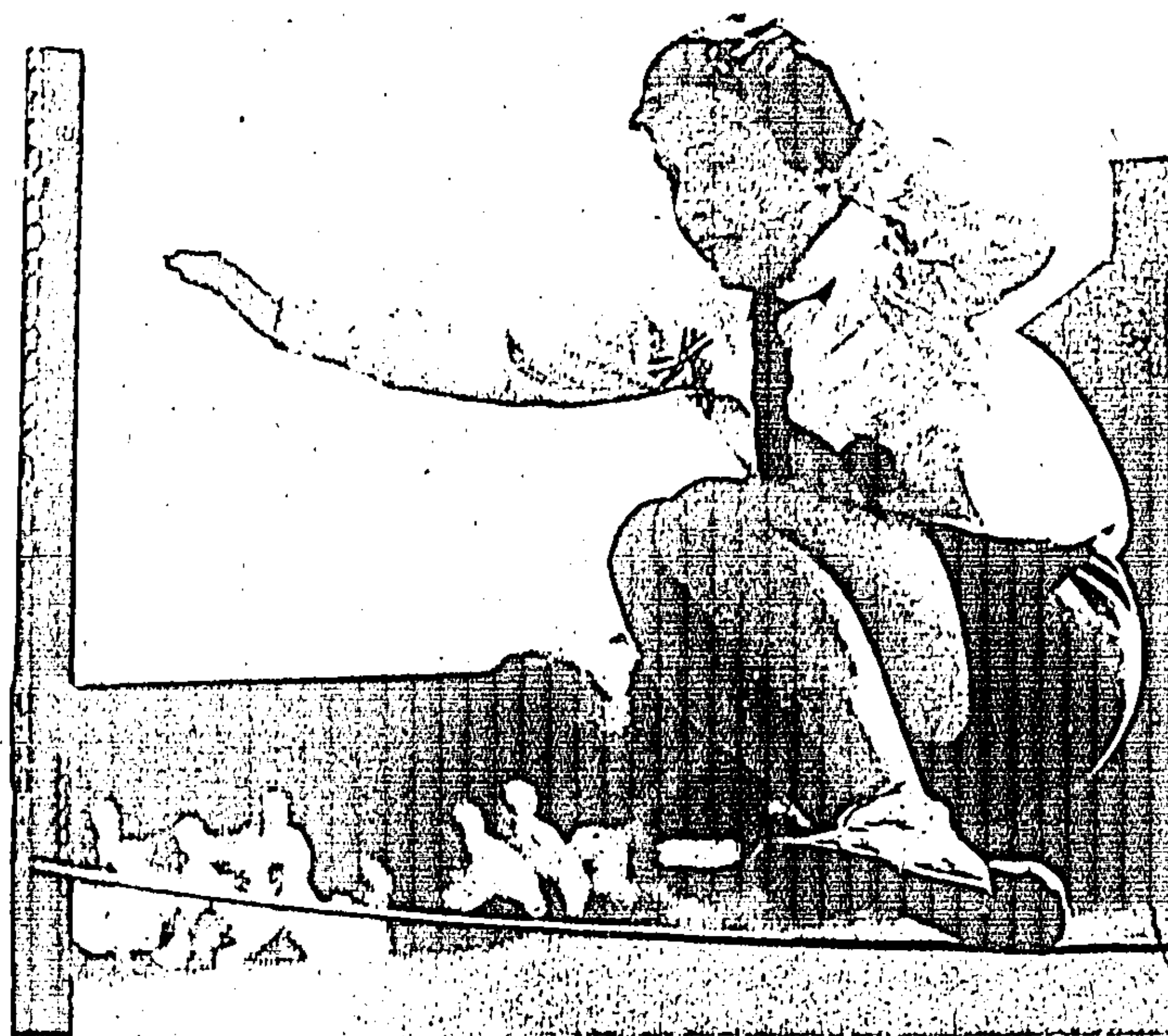
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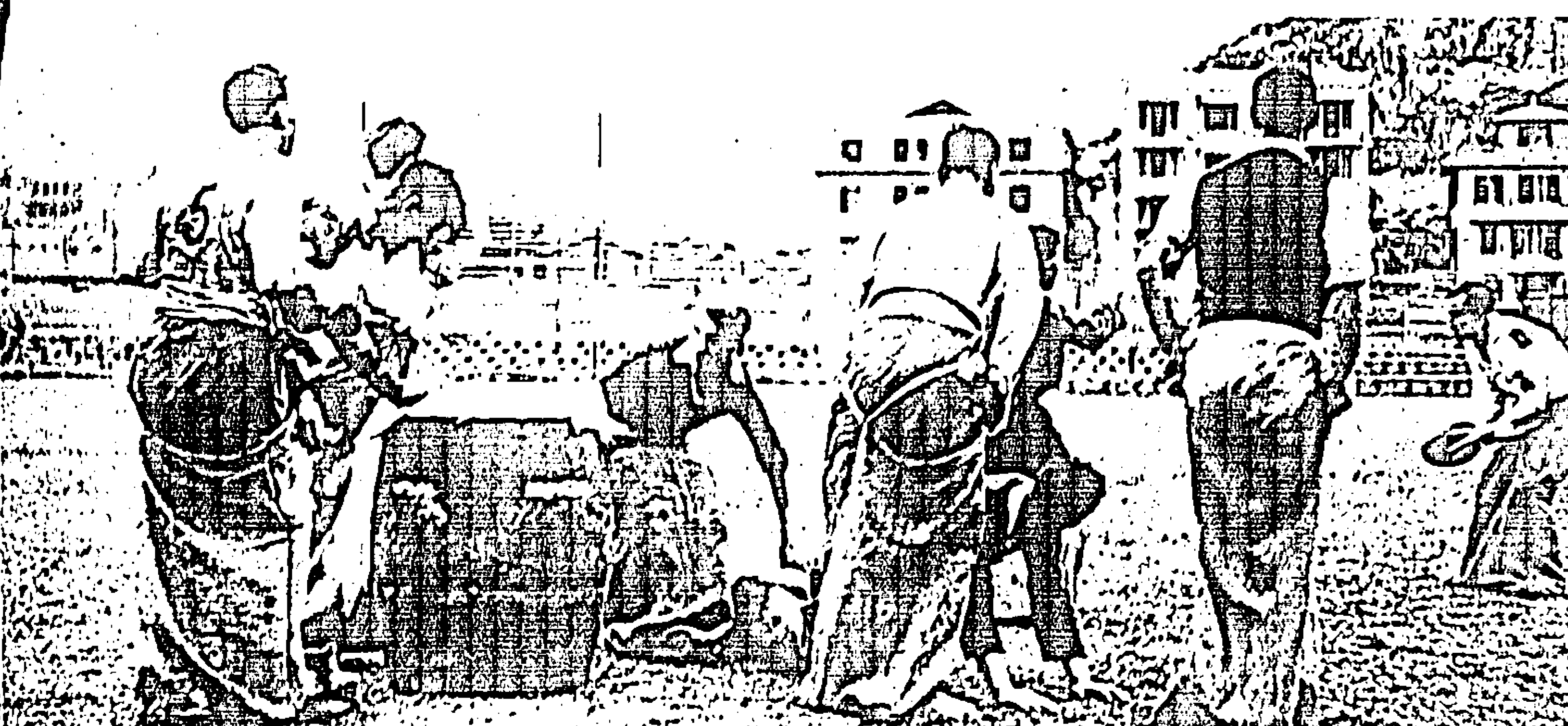
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His B for the Club (At Left) —



A fine High Jump picture from the Peak School Sports. ("Herald" photo).

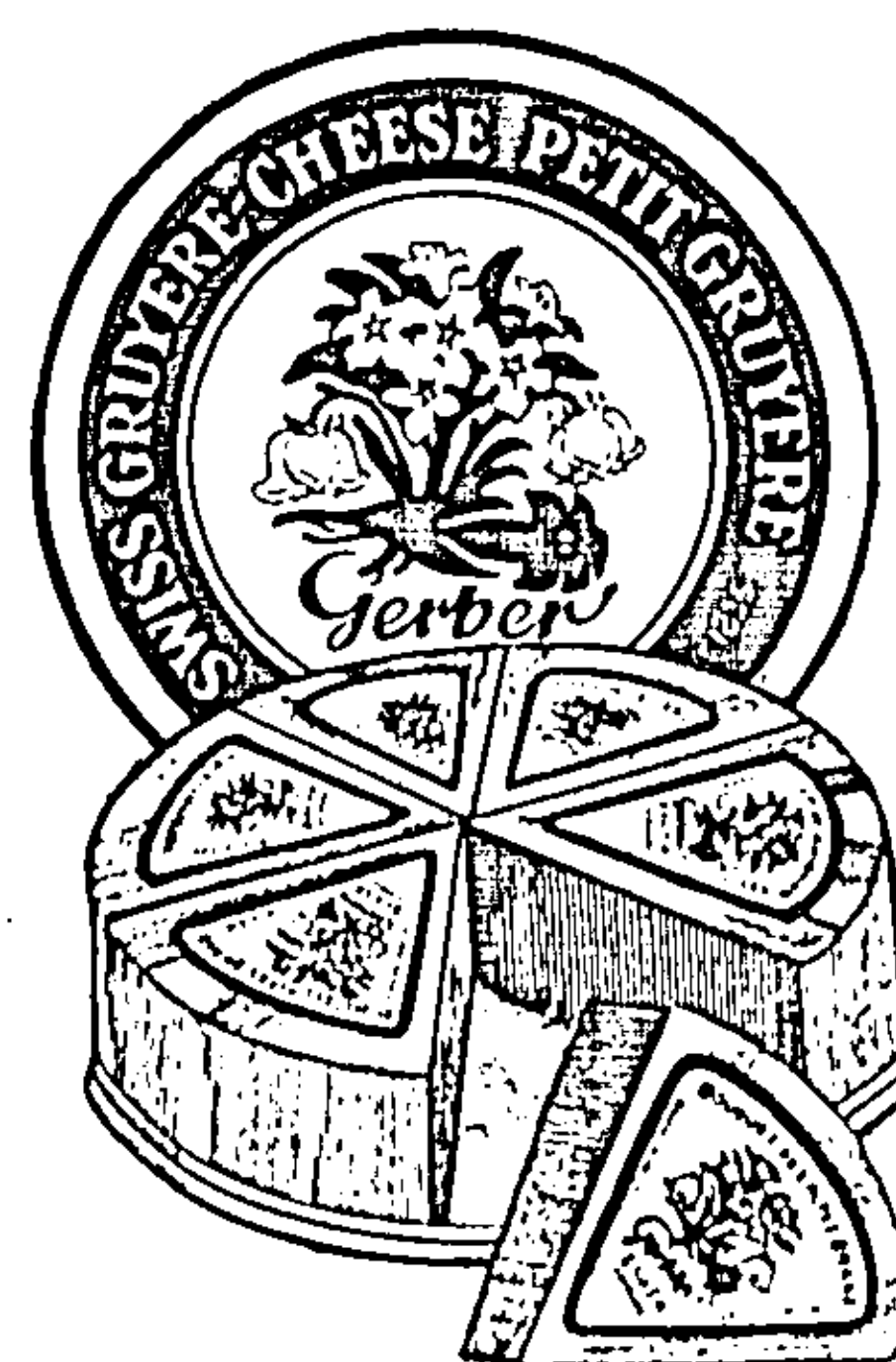


ing last Saturday's Sack Rugby match which was played in the interval of the Blarney Stone Herald" photo).



ellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, snapped just after he had called for three cheers cam which won the Blarney Stone Shield. ("Herald" photo).

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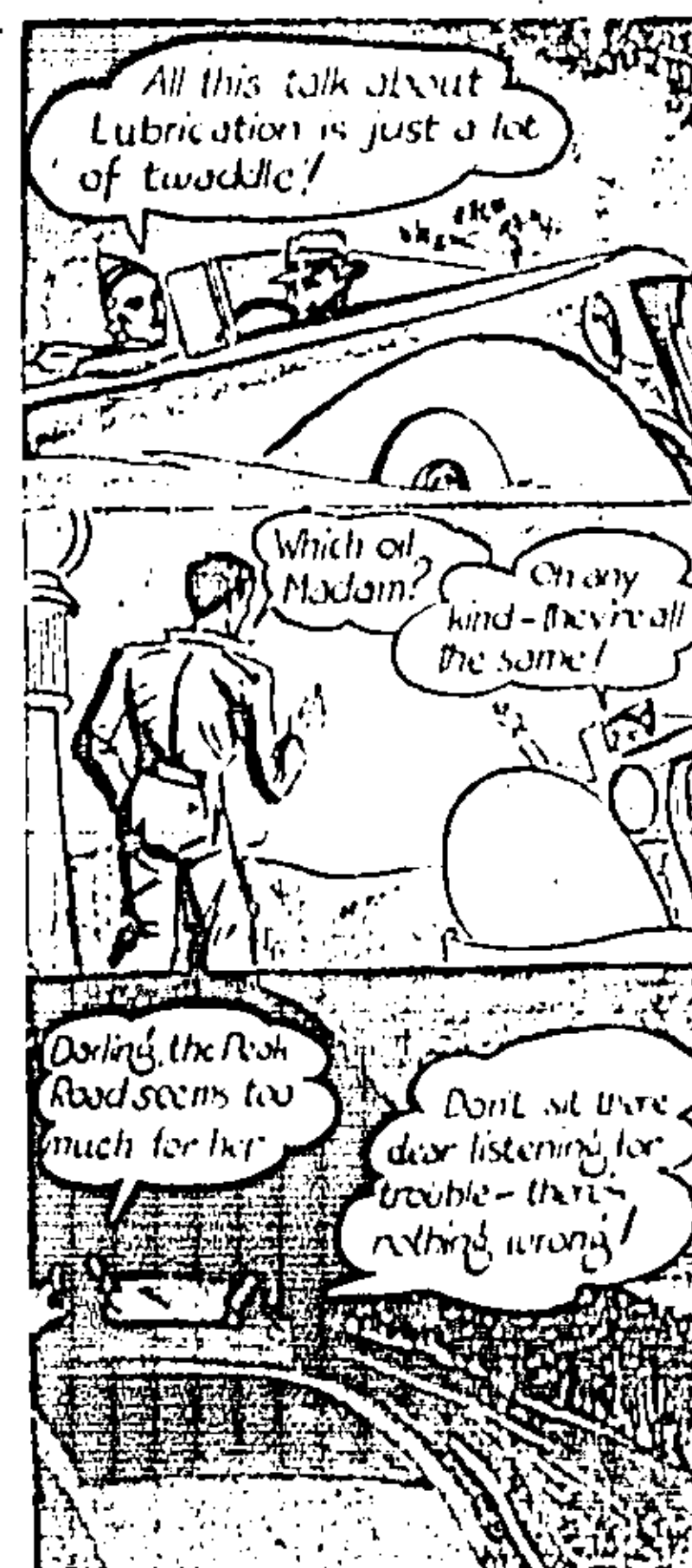
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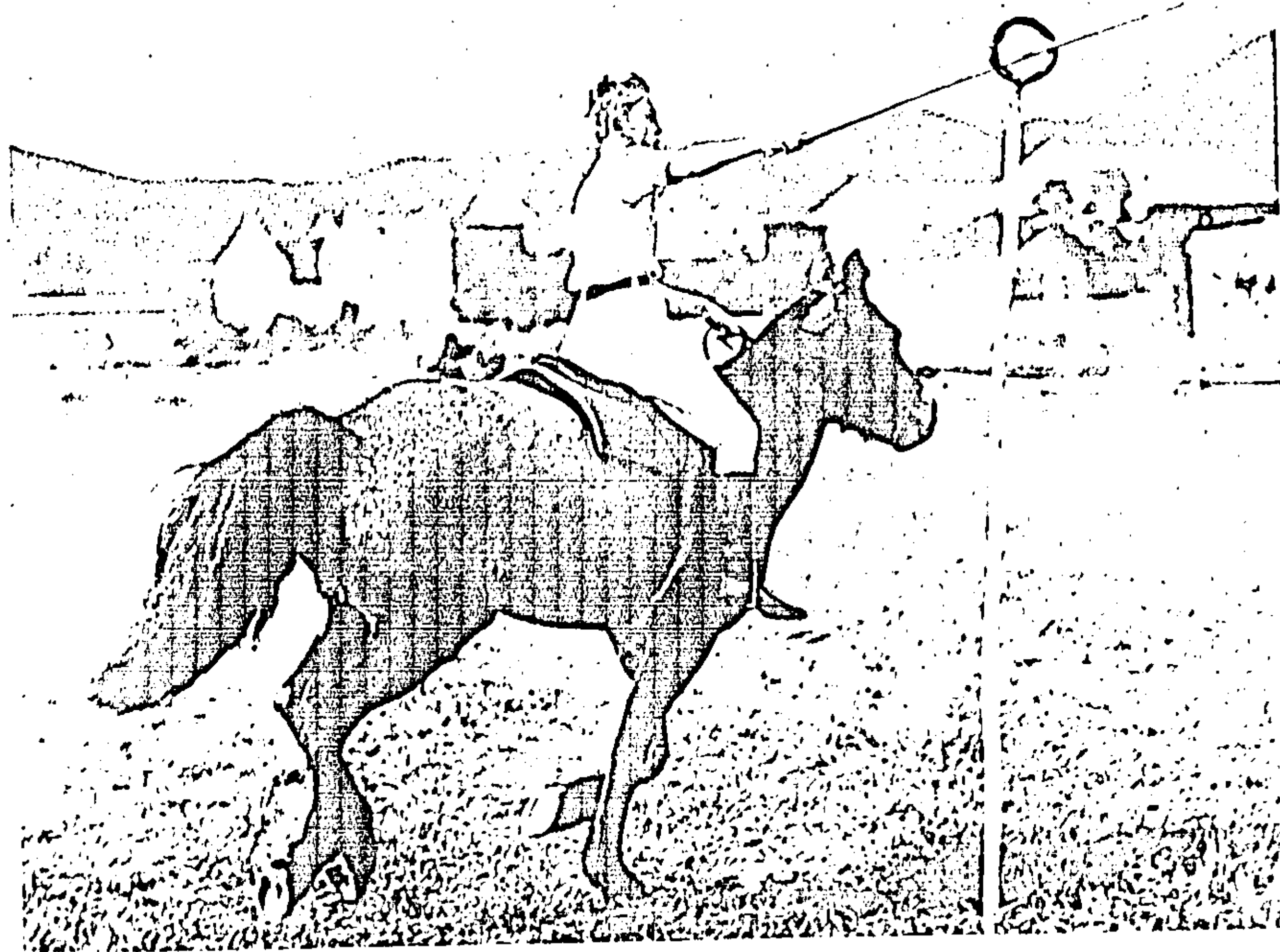
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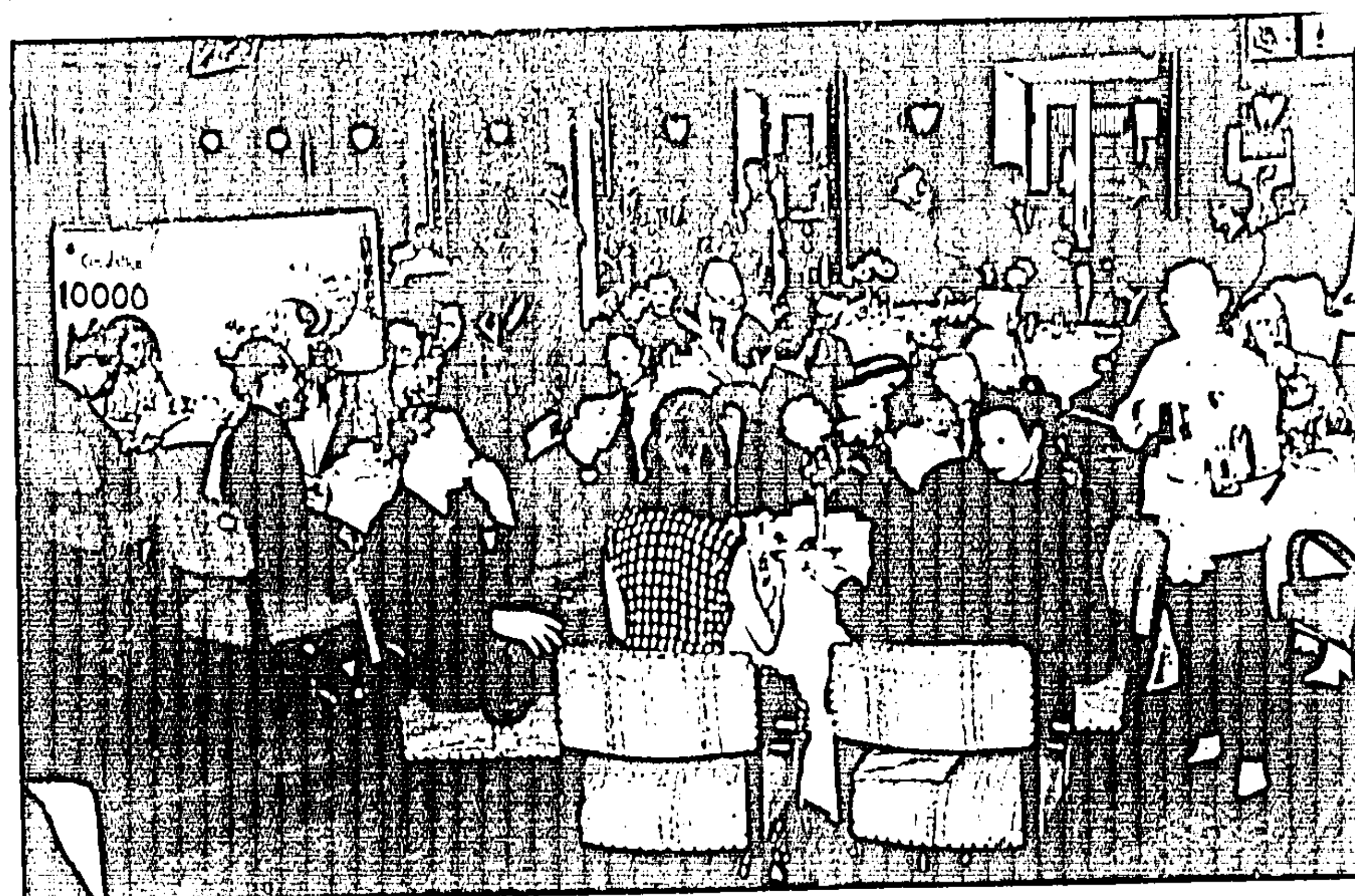
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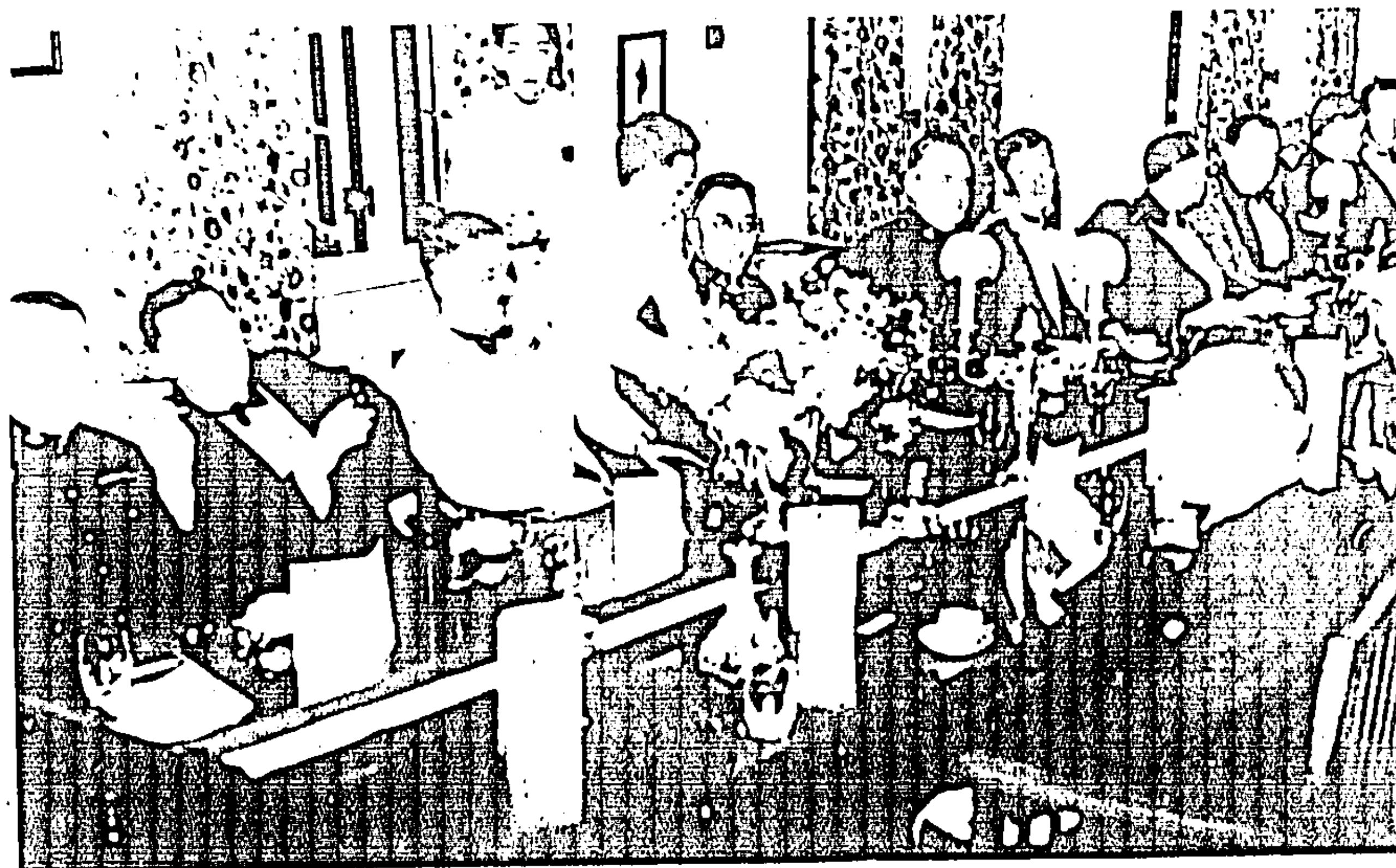
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A sure shot. A boy competitor in the Cottage Club Gymkhana. ("Herald" photo).



Taken at the tea party given at the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden by Mr. Percy Chen, Editor-in-Chief of the China Information Service, in honour of Hong Kong war relief workers. ("Herald" photo).



Taken at the Pay Corps dinner at Volunteer Headquarters last week. ("Herald" photo).

The Art Of Character Make Up



Mr. Victor S. Mamak, made up as a Chinese gentleman.



A photo of Mr. Victor S. Mamak showing his normal appearance.

Chinese or Bernner's 5 1/2 make successful foundations.

In order to make the face as broad as possible put large, round patches of yellow Grease Paint on the Cheek Bones, accentuating the effect with yellowish-brown shading underneath.

Highlight the nostrils with yellow paint to broaden; place crimson inside to enlarge. The nose of the Chinese is usually very flat about the bridge; some nobles have aquiline noses. To flatten the bridge, shade down the top of nose with brown.

Lighten the whole of the upper lip to suggest a jutting forward of this part of the face.

The Lips are fuller and coarser; use a deep shade of wet rouge.

The eyes are a difficult problem. An examination of a Chinese's face shows that the eye sockets are set precisely the same way as those in the Caucasian. The eyes of a Chinese are oblique; the oblique look is created

BY

VICTOR S. MAMAK

by the upper eyelid being drawn down. Apply yellow grease paint of a lighter shade than your foundation to this portion of the eyelid. Put it on heavily and if your lashes are dark and thick here, cover them with the same paint, to prevent the eye opening up at this point.

Continue running a patch of highlight (always yellow) from the inner corner of the eyelid slanting up and out over the blocked-out outer end of eyebrow and onto the temple.

Draw a line along the edge of lower eyelid with black paint, keeping it close to the roots of the lashes. When the outer corner is reached, continue on and up in an unbroken line for a half to three-quarters of an inch. Be sure there is no break or angle at the outer corner of the eye. This line is more important than the one above the eye and should be black and snappy from start to finish.

Beginning on the upper eyelid about its centre, draw a fine line along its extreme edge until you reach the place where it starts to curve down toward the outer corner. At this point leave the edge of the eyelid and draw the line across the flesh, slanting slightly upward until the extended line from the lower eyelid is reached. This point of contact should be a little below the extreme end of the lower line. It



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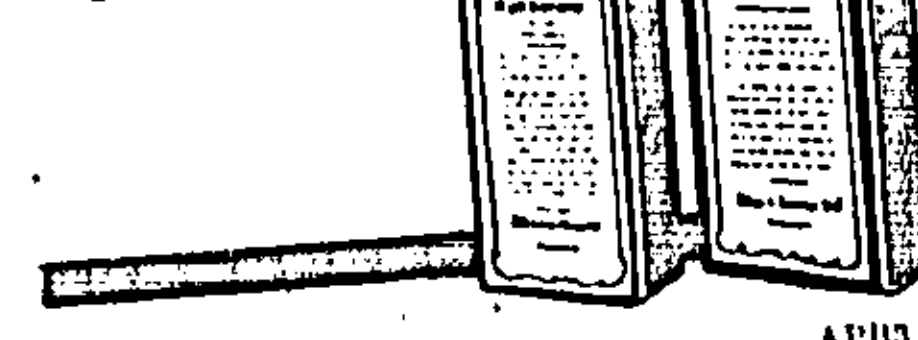
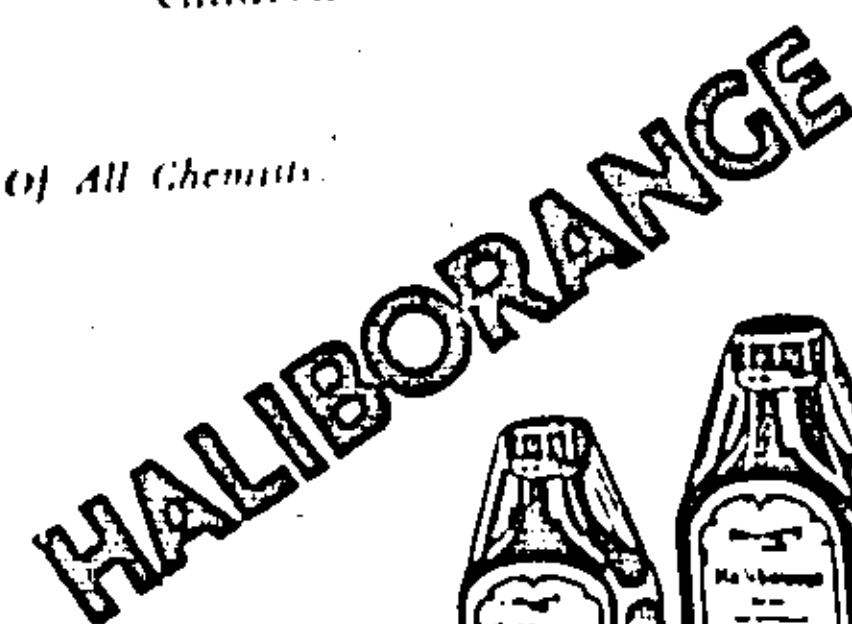


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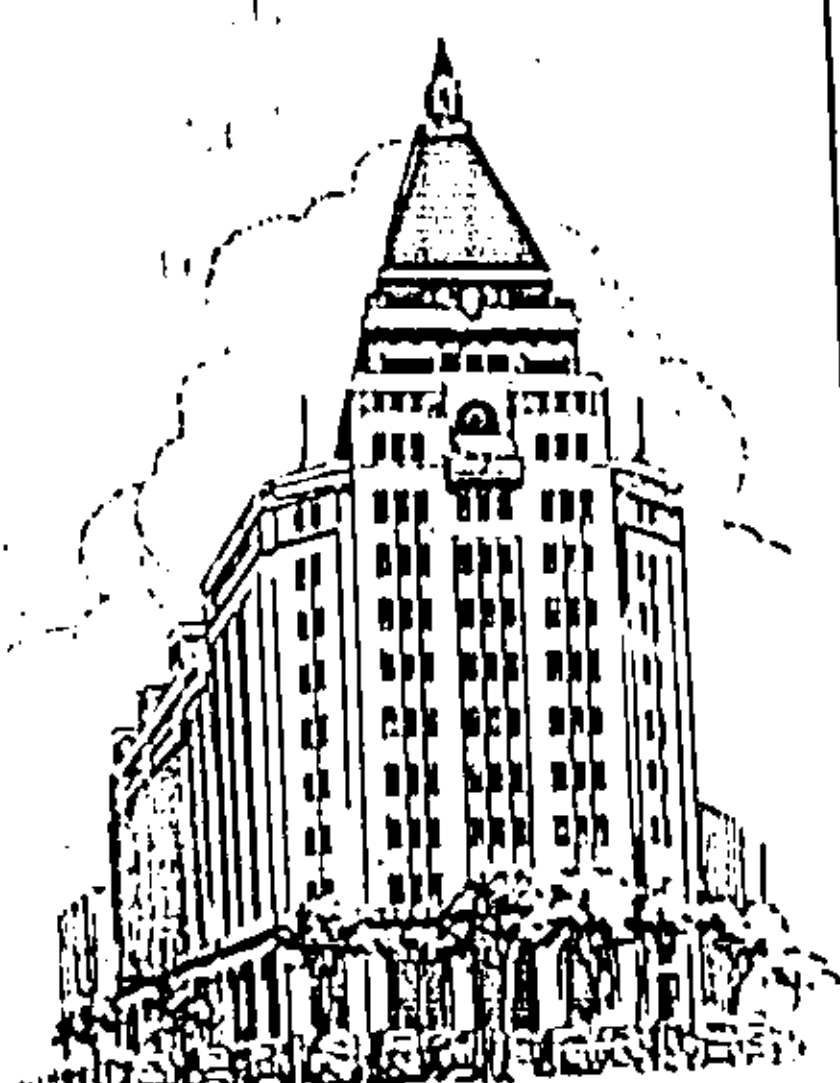


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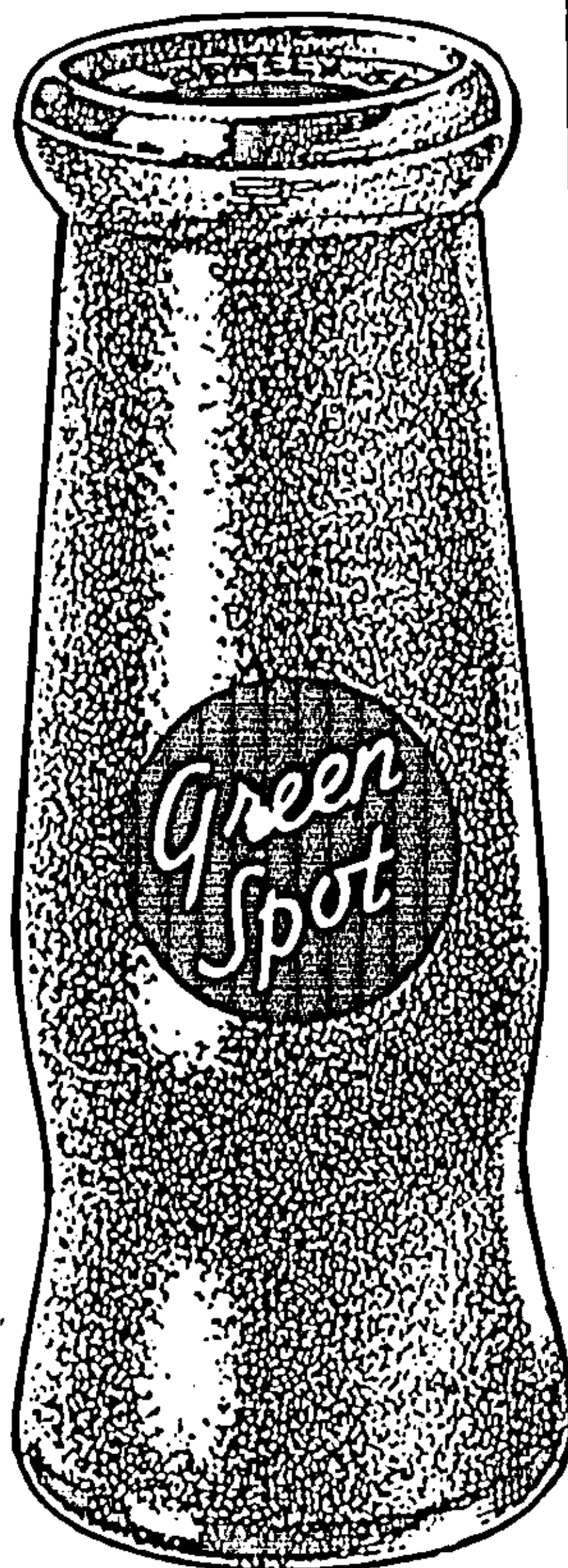
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Sports Chatter

Royal Navy Rugby and hockey circles have been strengthened by the return to the Colony of Lieuts. Harvey and Talbot, who played for the victorious Navy team in the recent Triangular Rugby Tournament.

Up to the moment it very much looks as if there will only be five teams entering the local International Hockey Tournament. England, Scotland, Wales, Portugal and India are the only nations which can raise strong enough teams to compete with each other, China being very doubtful regarding their entry.

F. S. Nicholls, the Club soccer full-back, is leaving for England shortly and, I believe, he will not be returning. He turned out for the Club when there was a most noticeable dearth of talent and he acquitted himself very favourably until he received an ankle injury.

The Hong Kong Rifle Association will regret the temporary loss of their President, Major R. D. Walker, who proceeded on Home leave last Saturday.

The Association will very shortly lose the services of their former energetic Hon. Secretary, Major Steers, who was primarily responsible for the formation of the local Association, and who has done much to place rifle shooting on a sound foundation in the Far East.

It very much looks at the moment as if the European Y.M.C.A. swimming activities during the forthcoming season will be confined to water-polo alone, as few of last year's swimmers have so far displayed any inclination to make plans for galas etc. I believe a meeting of the swimming section will be held very shortly to discuss prospects for the season.

A most notable absentee from this year's Colony Singles and Doubles and Club Championship events is A. L. Sullivan, the present holder of the Club title. The last time Sullivan participated in tennis championships was during the Harcourt events at the U.S.R.C.

J. M. Tomlinson, member of the U.S.R.C. Men's "A" Division League tennis team, has made excellent progress in the Squash Tournament organised by the H.K.C.C. In the Third Round he beat Paul Welch, one of the best players in the Colony.

I understand that Miklos Szalados and Istvan Kelen, the world-famous Hungarian table tennis players, will be returning to the Colony next November, when they will stage further exhibitions at the European Y.M.C.A.

A newcomer to local badminton circles is Miss A. Wright, who made her debut appearance last Friday week in the Colony Mixed Doubles event, with H. A. Barros, and she promises to be a sound player in the near future.

Probably the two most outstanding figures in the preliminary rounds of the Barmy Stone Rugby Seven-Side Charity Tournament were the Taylor brothers, one of whom, "A.J.C.," played for the Civil Service team, while the other, K. Taylor, was full-back for the Police side. Both were prominent throughout the tournament, and it is indeed a pity that the latter does not play for the Club as he has a fine pair of hands; can kick well and is very fast off the mark, while his tackling, like that of his brother, is deadly.

I understand that the Senforths, who are due to leave for Shanghai at the end of the month, are endeavouring to fulfil all their football fixtures before that date and, with the co-operation of the other clubs, hope to do so, thus relieving the Royal Scots of the necessity of taking over their unplayed games.

Fung King-cheong, the South China star forward, did not turn out against Eastern last week in the Shield game as he was suffering from an injured arm, but he is hoping to play to-day.

Without Hau Ching-to last week Eastern were very ragged at forward, being unable to get going against South China "A". Even Lee Tak-kee, their centre-forward, and generally their most dangerous player, was completely subdued by Lau Hing-choi.

T. A. Pearce, the H.K.C.C. cricketer, will be playing soccer for the Football Club for the rest of the season.

If Drown has fully recovered from the injury sustained prior to his departure for Home leave last year and turns out again, the Club will be able to field their best side this season.

The Ordnance will be missing the services of their pivot, Fisher Cook, who will be leaving with the Senforths for Shanghai. He will be greatly missed in the Junior Shield Semi-Final.

Peter Morgan, the Hong Kong Football Club law bowler, left on Home leave last Saturday. His home is in Aberdeen and he tells me he will not have an opportunity of seeing any games at Waukegan.

By the Judge

Many will regret to learn that Brigadier H. C. Harrison, former chairman of the Hong Kong Football Association and president of the Hong Kong Area Sports Board, is not enjoying the best of health in his new post in Palestine.

Lau Fook-chuen, who took the place of Fung King-cheong against Eastern, last week in the Shield encounter, did well in that position and with more experience should become a very dangerous forward.

Chouk Shek-kam, the South China "A" inside-right, will not be playing football for the remainder of the season owing to ill health, and his position will be filled by Wong Mei-shun.

Promoted from the junior team to take the place of Chung Fai-lun, who is now playing for Kwong Wah, Leung Pak-wai played a useful game at back for South China "B" against Senforths last Saturday.

Wong Wing-hon, former Athletic centre-forward, is now playing at back for Kowloon Chinese and against the Navy last week gave a very good display, his positioning and anticipation saving his side from a greater defeat.

St. Andrew's Ladies' hockey team suffered a great loss in the departure for England of Mrs. L. Cross, one of their full-backs. Mrs. Cross is, however, expected back in time for next season.

R. A. Bates, Y.M.C.A. and Hong Kong Hockey Club centre-half, left for Home last week on holiday.

A. D. Spoors, formerly champion weightlifter of Hong Kong and a wrestler of some ability, returned from leave by the Naldara.

S. H. Strange, Interport soccer full-back, has just returned to the Colony after a holiday in England.

The Misses Maureen and June Barker, two of the finest schoolgirl hockey players in the Colony, were recently laid up with measles. Although June had recovered sufficiently to play last week, Maureen was still compelled to rest.

Frank Road, the well-known sportsman, has left the Colony and is resident in Singapore.

Miss Mona Shand, one of the best players of the C.B.S. "A" attack, has been under medical advice to refrain from playing owing to an injury to her ankle.

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St. Paul stake is certainly a second-rate woman. In addition to her place at Easthampton and several others, she is a coffee house or hotel. Although she had been out of luck for some time, she has an opening in place for St. Andrew, when Brown Cup game against NY made last week and with most of high prize worth of a place in a competitive game.

1. A. DALLAN, Jr., is taking no new members; the Victoria Recreation Club has been practicing and is successful.

Good key, big on the Country Club and is now of their keenest member. He had almost every weekend golf and is particularly fond when it is to driving.

A high-contrast, black and white portrait of a man in a military uniform. He is wearing a peaked cap and a high-collared jacket. The image is framed by a thick black border.

M. W. Lo, above, is playing excellent tennis at the moment and together with his brother, the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, has reached the Third Round of the Colony Doubles Championship.

Pun Sar wai, Colony table tennis champion, will shortly visit Macao to take part in a series of exhibition matches which have been arranged with a view to raising funds for Wine Relief.

A series of exhibition games of Chinese chess, between expert players from Macao, Canton and Hong Kong, will be taking place soon. The proceeds of these events will be contributed to War Relief.

Bernie Johnson, who is at present on leave in America, will probably return in time for baseball. Bernie caught for the victorious Washington and Lee University, who won the Southern Conference a few years ago.

It is understood that U.S.S. Min-danao, led by big Bill Collier, will definitely enter a baseball team in the local league this season, and will play all games according to schedule.

In addition to her hockey, Miss Jessie Wong, Colony ladies' pivot, is a keen tennis player. She also plays badminton and is making big strides at the game.

Miss Stella West, St. Andrew's Ladies' half-back, who has been unable to play hockey for some time owing to an attack of appendicitis, is leaving for England next month. She hopes to be back in time for the opening of next season.

I understand from a reliable source that Stanley Prison Officers' Recreation Club, which was inaugurated following the transfer of the Victoria Prison to Stanley, will be participating in League sport very shortly.

Kookloona Indian Tennis Club have not yet been able to build their new Clubhouse, although they have acquired sufficient funds. The Honorary Secretary, Jahan Dad, tells me that they are still negotiating for additional land, following which the Clubhouse will immediately be constructed.



There is every reason to believe that Lee Wai-tong, China's soccer idol, above, will play for South China A. A. against Islington Corinthians in the latter's return match towards the end of the current month. Lee has been out of local soccer for nearly a whole season as a result of a fractured leg, sustained during the All-China World Olympic team's tour of Java following the Berlin Games.

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work these days.
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wake feeling tired
like this—absolutely
washed out

Hello Gilmore!
 fired again
 this morning?
 Cheer up we're
 putting Barron
 into your
 department
 to take
 a bit off
 your hands

Aren't you satisfied
 with the way my work
 has been going,
 Mr. Harris?

Oh
 Gilmore,
 take off.
 We realise
 you've got
 more than
 you can
 handle with

Oh now
Gilmore, don't
take offence—
We realise
you've got
more than
you can
cope with
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Under the penalisation I can see room for paying Gilmore say. It's quite apparent he's pulling his weight, his



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it an uphill fight to
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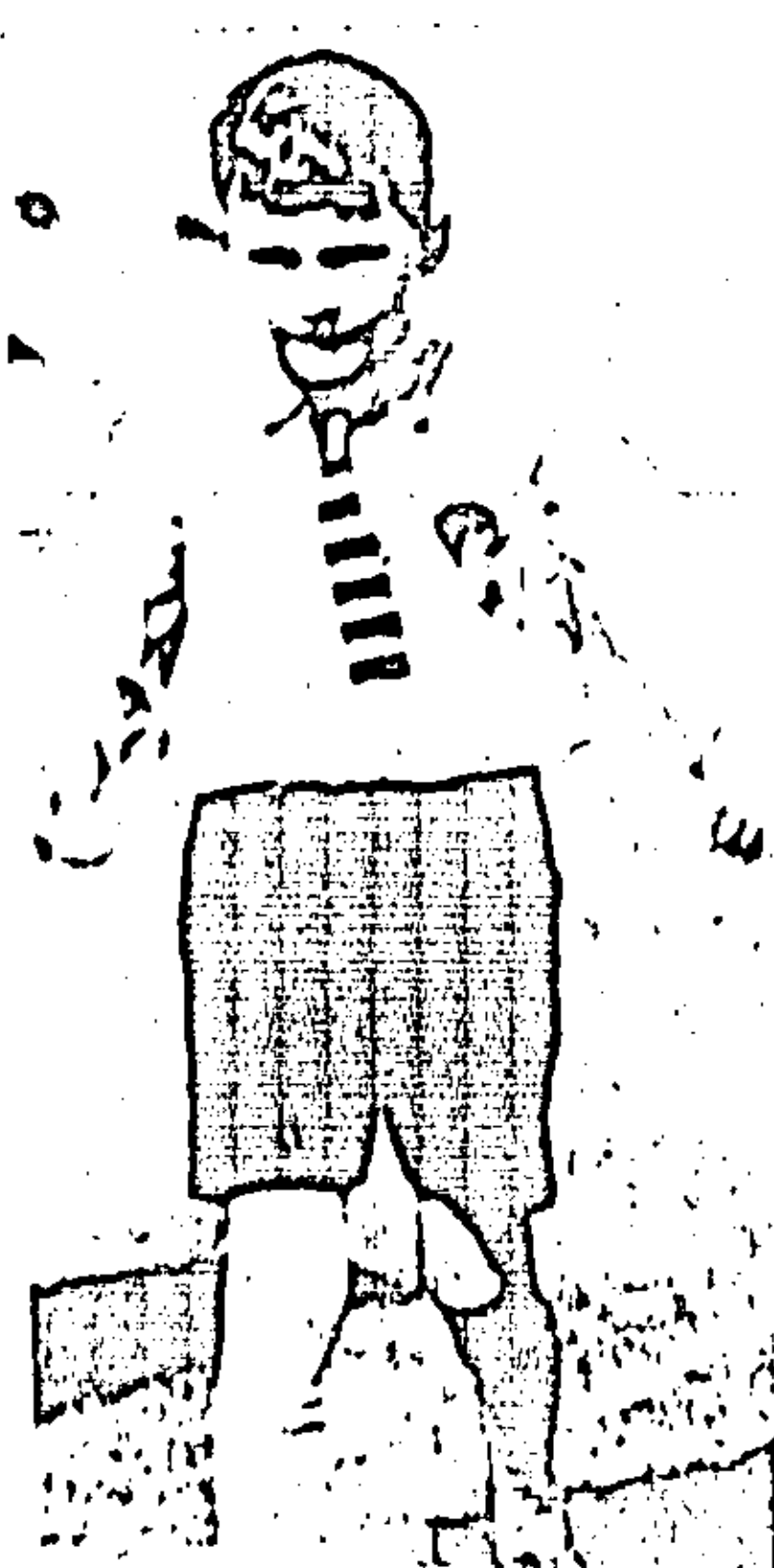
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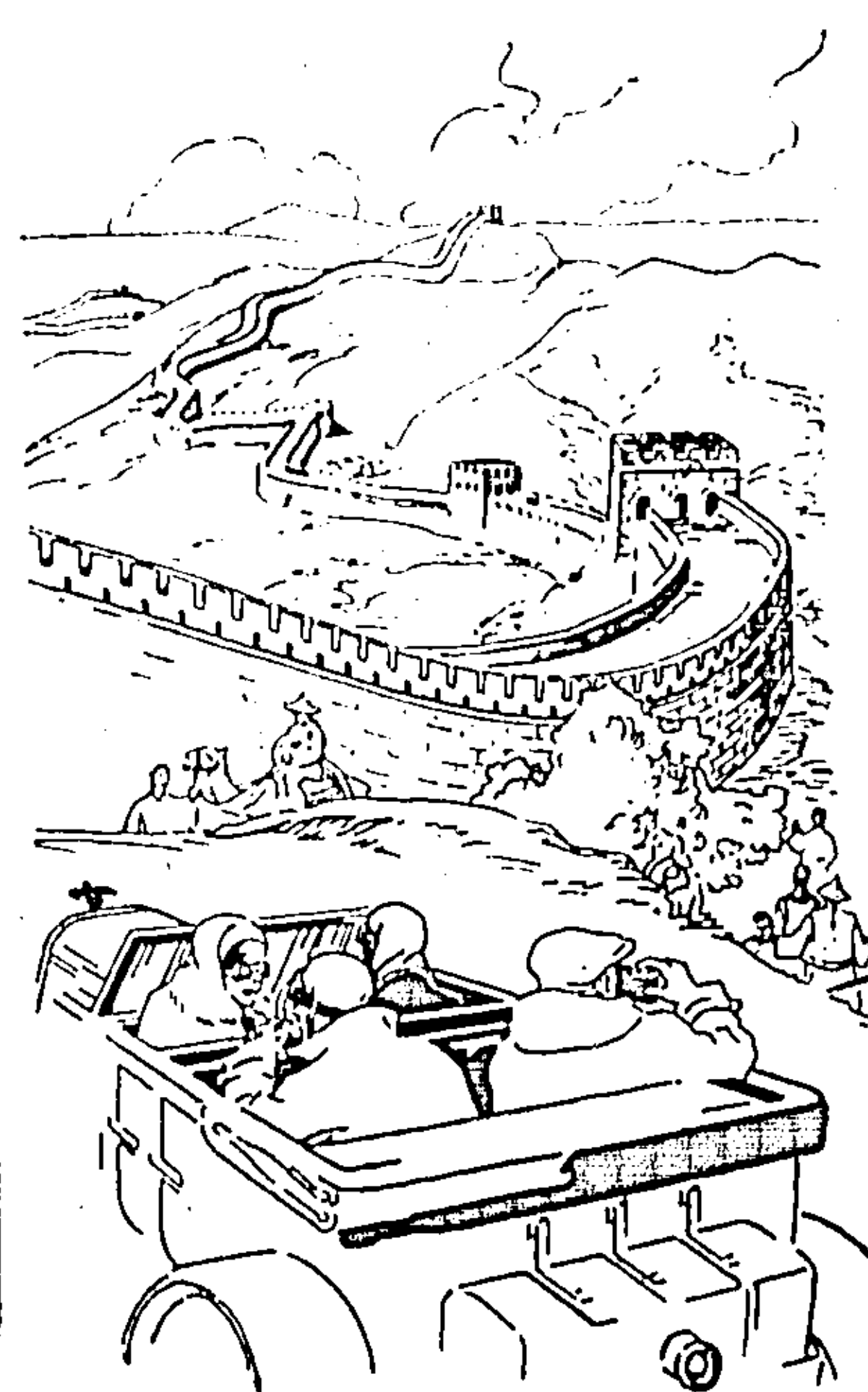


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(Above)—Two youngsters in the Egg and Spoon Race at the Penk School Sports. ("Herald" photos).

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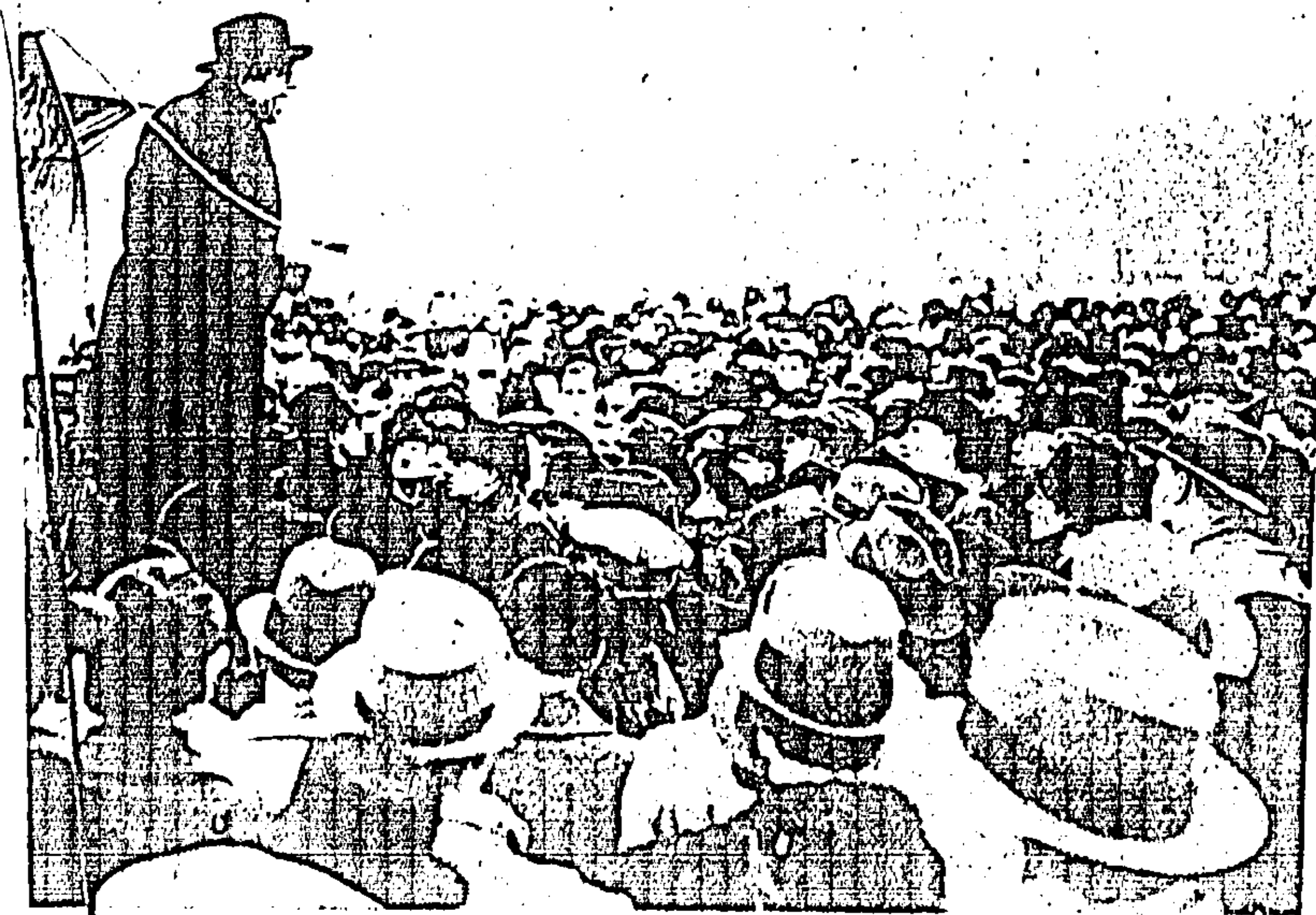
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GENERAL FRANCO'S HEADQUARTERS JUBILANT

Saragossa, Yesterday.

The Aragon front presents a scene of utter desolation and ruin, with a severe battle raging between the retreating Government forces and the insurgents.

The insurgents claim to have occupied 100 square kilometres in the last two days.

A hardly suppressed spirit of jubilation marks all officers at General Franco's headquarters following the insurgent victory on the Aragon front.

"First Teruel and now Belchite, and next?" is the attitude of high insurgent commanders.

A communique personally signed by General Franco praises the insurgent troops who participated in the recapture of Belchite.

Mentioned by name are the Black Arrows, the Blue Arrows and the Moors.—Trans-Ocean.

ARAB RULER'S APPEAL FOR ANGLO-ITALIAN SETTLEMENT

Cairo, Yesterday.

An intimation that the Anglo-Italian feud constituted a threat to the peace of the entire world, was sent by Imam Yehya of Yemen to the British Foreign Office on the occasion of the opening of the Anglo-Italian talks, according to press reports.

The Imam wished the talks every success, and stressed the necessity of a settlement in Palestine.

He said that creation of a Jewish state in Palestine would always be a cause of disorder and would accentuate differences between the Mediterranean Powers.

After recalling the war waged by the Christians in Syria and Palestine, the Imam wrote that he felt it his duty, as the oldest Muslim ruler, to call the attention of both Britain and Italy to the bloodshed in Palestine, and to beg both Governments to take suitable measures to bring about a peaceful solution.—Trans-Ocean.

ITALIAN AGREEMENT WITH POLAND

Warsaw, Yesterday.

"The old Polish-Italian friendship has once more been confirmed," says the "Gazeta Polska" in a leading article on the visit of the Foreign Minister, Col. Joseph Beck, to Rome.

The paper says that the conviction is held in both Rome and Warsaw that a general European settlement cannot be reached without Polish participation.

Mutual understanding was expressed regarding the Danube Basin, "a territory of secondary interest to both powers in consideration of the fact that the Mediterranean represents a more important sphere of interest for Italy, and the Baltic similarly for Poland."

The paper says that Count Ciano, the Italian Foreign Minister, will shortly visit Warsaw.—Trans-Ocean.

German Warning To South Africa On Colonies

Berlin, Yesterday. An exchange of Notes between the German Government and the Union of South Africa on the different interpretations of the London Agreement of October 23, 1923 dealing with the position of South-West Africa under the mandate administration.

tion, was followed yesterday by a statement by the official German news agency. The statement said: "The opinion has been repeatedly voiced during recent times in South African circles that through conclusion of the London Agreement the position of South-West Africa under South African mandate is definitely and finally established.

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"This question was the subject of an exchange of Notes between the German Government and the Union Government in which both Governments ascertained that differences in interpretation of the agreement exist.

"Germany emphasises that neither through confiscation of the former German colonies and placing them under the mandate government nor through later agreements, has the final legal status of South-West Africa been established, and the German Government has a legal claim to all former colonies."—Trans-Ocean.

SHARP FIGHTING IN PALESTINE

Jerusalem, Yesterday. A sharp encounter in the early hours yesterday resulted in one English soldier being killed and five Arab irregulars fatally shot.

Disorders increased yesterday, incidents being reported from all over Palestine.

The railway between Jaffa and Lydda was dynamited at several points.—Trans-Ocean.

PEACE DEMONSTRATION IN HYDE PARK. A great mass demonstration took place on February 27 in Trafalgar Square and Hyde Park, dealing with the recent Cabinet crisis. Many prominent speakers attended. Photo shows Lord Strabolli addressing the crowd in Hyde Park. (Copyright: By Air Mail).

BELGIUM, ITALY AND ETHIOPIA

Brussels, Yesterday. Recognition of Italian sovereignty over Abyssinia by Belgium, demanded some time ago by the Belgian Foreign Minister, was decided upon yesterday by the Cabinet.—Trans-Ocean.

SHANGHAI BOMB OUTRAGE

Shanghai, Yesterday. Latest act of terrorism in Shanghai occurred last evening when unknown persons threw a bomb into the building of a publishing concern which had accepted orders from the new Japanese administration of Greater Shanghai.

The bomb caused considerable damage but neither killed nor injured anybody.—Trans-Ocean.

ADMIRAL, HOME FLEET, AT PALACE

London, Yesterday. Admiral Sir Charles Forbes was received in audience by the King at Buckingham Palace on his appointment as Commander-in-Chief of the Home Fleet. Lord Milne was also received by the King on his relinquishing his appointment as Governor and Constable of the Tower of London.—British Wire-less.

Italian Mission To Japan In Colony: Leader Criticises League

Italian views on the League of Nations were strongly expressed by Marquis Giacomo Paulucci Di Calabro, Baron, leader of the Italian mission to Japan which arrived yesterday in the Conte Rincamano.

Marquis Barone stated that he was returning the many visits which the Japanese had made to Italy and his visit was essentially one of friendship. He also hoped to make a close study of Japan, which was by no means new to him. He had previously been an Ambassador and had served both in China and Japan.

He was at one time, closely connected with the League of Nations having held the position of both Secretary and acting Secretary-General. He expressed his views

Cairo, Yesterday. Intense interest has been aroused here by the visit to Saudi-Arabia of the Earl and Countess of Athlone, whose chief purpose, says the press, is to consolidate Britain's relations with the Arab kingdom.

The party arrived at the capital of Saudi Arabia yesterday, and were greeted by King Ibn Saud.

The Earl of Athlone handed to King Ibn Saud a personal letter from King George.

The Earl's party crossed the desert in an imposing cavalcade of twenty-five motorcars.—Trans-Ocean.

on the League as it stands to-day in no uncertain manner. "DANGEROUS SITUATION" "We no longer consider the League of Nations as such as it no longer contains all its elements. In its old form it could have done much good—but it didn't—and as it is at present, the situation is very dangerous.

"The League is now like a machine which has gone wrong and those connected with it no longer have an idea how it works. Our hope is that other nations will realize this and avoid future trouble by leaving it now.

"The best guarantee of peace to-day is merely to maintain friendly relations and this may be done much better outside the League than in it."

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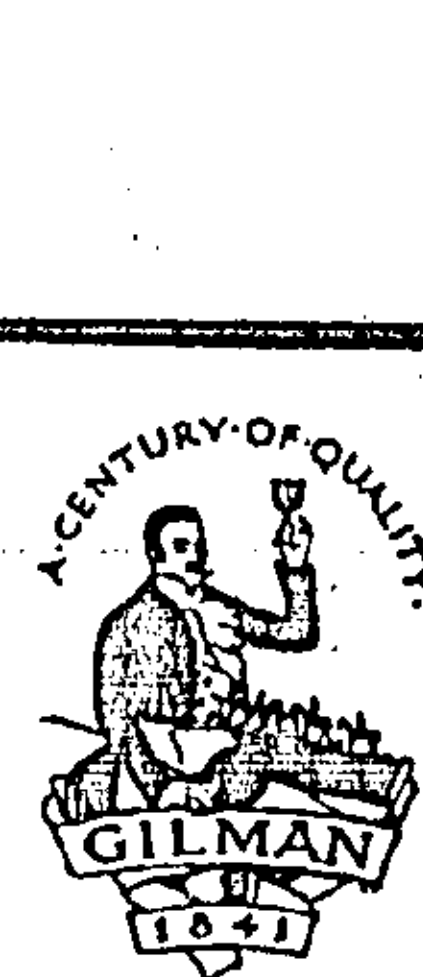
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DREAMS are the language of our hidden selves. If we were aware of the meaning of every dream we have, we should be complete personalities. The saint has most sinful dreams. Was it Thomas Aquinas who thanked God that he was not

so, why all this silly dreaming of cats and trains and appearing in the street without any clothes on? Why don't we dream of direct things?

We don't know, Freud says that we have a moral censor in ourselves who watches every movement of the Unconscious. When too dreadful a message wants to come through in the dream, the

The dream symbolism does not always treat of savagery; it often dreams of love, yet seldom does the lover dream directly about the loved one.

The man who loves a blonde may find that he kisses brunettes in his dreams, and he may worry about it.

Yet it is safer to be disloyal in dream than in reality, and, anyway, the Unconscious has many past loves buried in it.

Young people never seem to dream of their favourite film stars. This is because the film is in itself a dream work; it is not real, only a picture. And the film

NIGHTMARES

responsible for his dreams? The censor is keeping down one part of himself, and the imprisoned part is not conquered; it lives on in perverted form, and the "wicked" dream is its feeble attempt to make itself known.

The nightmare is merely a violent attempt to express the kept-down personality.

The question arises: If this is

Censor uses a psychical blue- is too new: we prefer the primitive in symbolism.

Yet we dream of aeroplanes nowadays, and they are new. True, but the wish to fly is as old as mankind. Angels have been flying long before men flew in planes.

Why do we fly in dreams? I don't know. I have associated my own flying dreams with a desire to get away from difficulties in life . . . to be free, away from everyone, above everyone; perhaps to flee to heaven.

I feel that a flying dream is not healthy, for in it is the wish to get rid of the heavy flesh. It is really a wish for death.

So the train dream is often a death wish. We go on a long, long journey, and the man who is always missing trains in his dreams is the man who wants to die and yet wants to live.

One of the most fatiguing dreams is the one in which we climb the station steps knowing that the train is just going off, but our feet are a ton weight, and we cannot move.

Sometimes you are being chased by something fearful and again your feet won't move. One cannot give an interpretation of this without knowing much about the dreamer's life. All one can say is that the conflict between the real self and the self that out-

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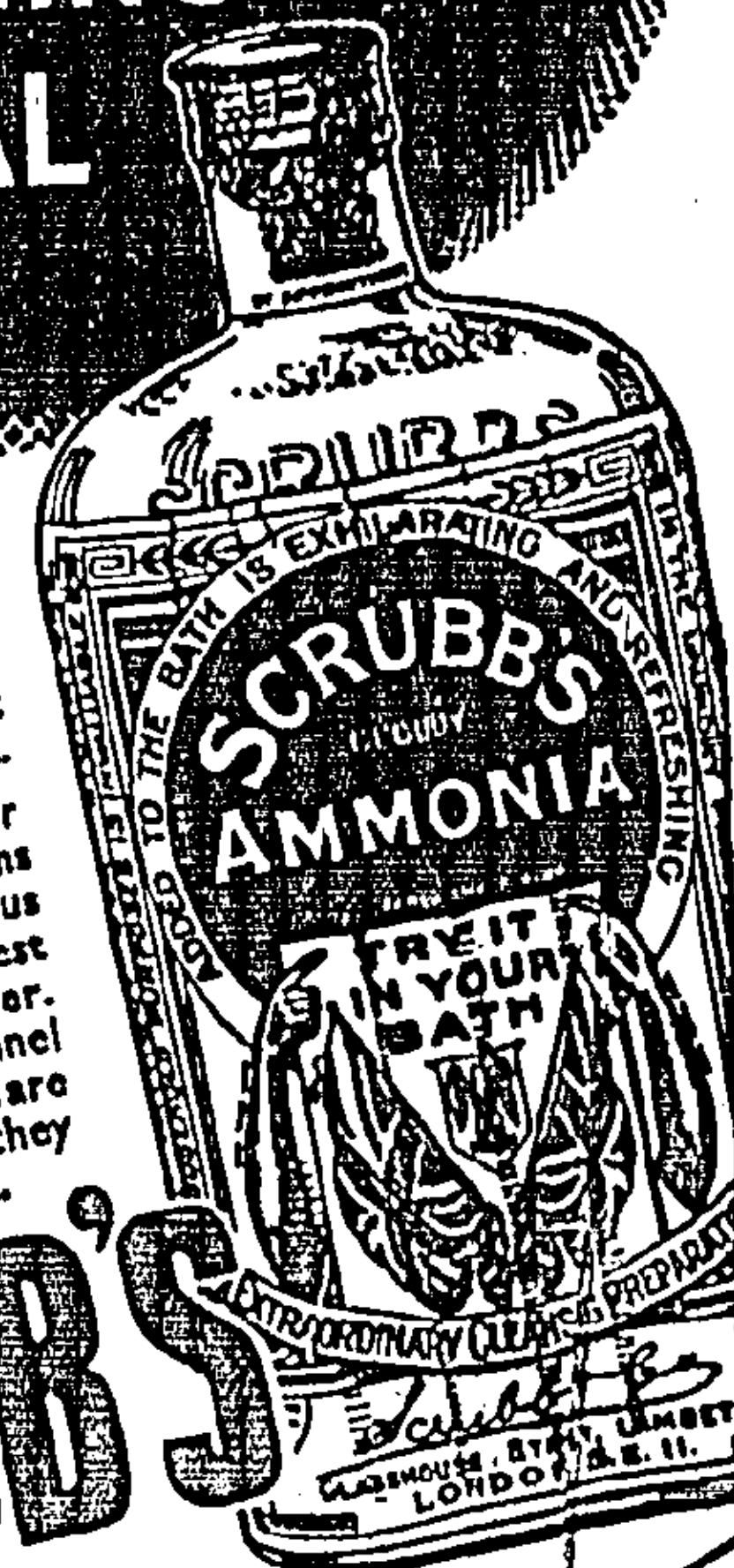
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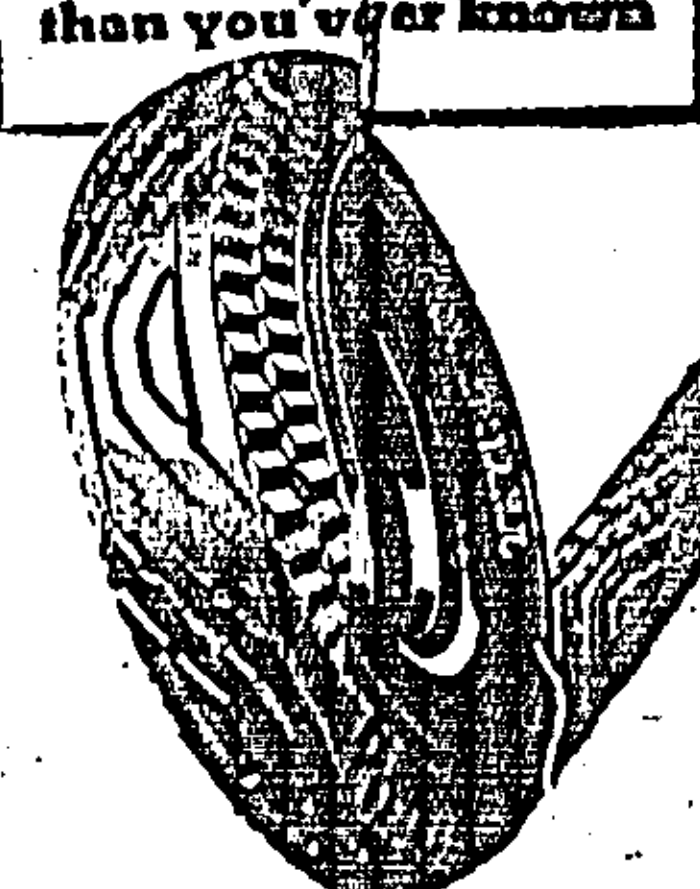


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AUSTRALIA'S PLAN FOR IMMIGRATION

SYDNEY, YESTERDAY.
THE AUSTRALIAN MINISTER FOR THE INTERIOR, MR. J. McEWEN, STATED AT CANBERRA YESTERDAY THAT IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE GOVERNMENT TO TAKE THE NECESSARY STEPS TO AUGMENT THE INFLOW OF SETTLERS TO AUSTRALIA SHOULD THE STREAM OF IMMIGRANTS FROM ENGLAND NOT BE SUFFICIENT TO MEET AUSTRALIAN REQUIREMENTS.

In that case, he declared, the Australian Government would endeavour to go a selected type of immigrant to settle in Australia. He was thinking primarily, he stated, of immigrants from Germany, Scandinavia and the United States.—Trans-Ocean.

SWEDISH CAFE STRIKE ENDING

Stockholm, Yesterday.
Swedish restaurants, and cafes, which have been closed for eight

KARL RADEK TO WRITE BOOK UNDER ORDERS

Moscow, Yesterday.
Karl Radek, one of the old Bolshevik leaders under Lenin, has been instructed by the GPU to write a book on Trotskyism and its methods in the form of a personal confession.

Radek, who some months ago was imprisoned by the GPU on account of Trotskyism and banished to Siberia after a sensational trial, has been living for some weeks in a village near Leningrad. Because he made serious accusations against numerous leading Communists during the trial and was the first to draw the attention of the secret police to Marshal Tutashvili, who was subsequently shot, Radek was set free in order to work for the GPU.—Trans-Ocean.

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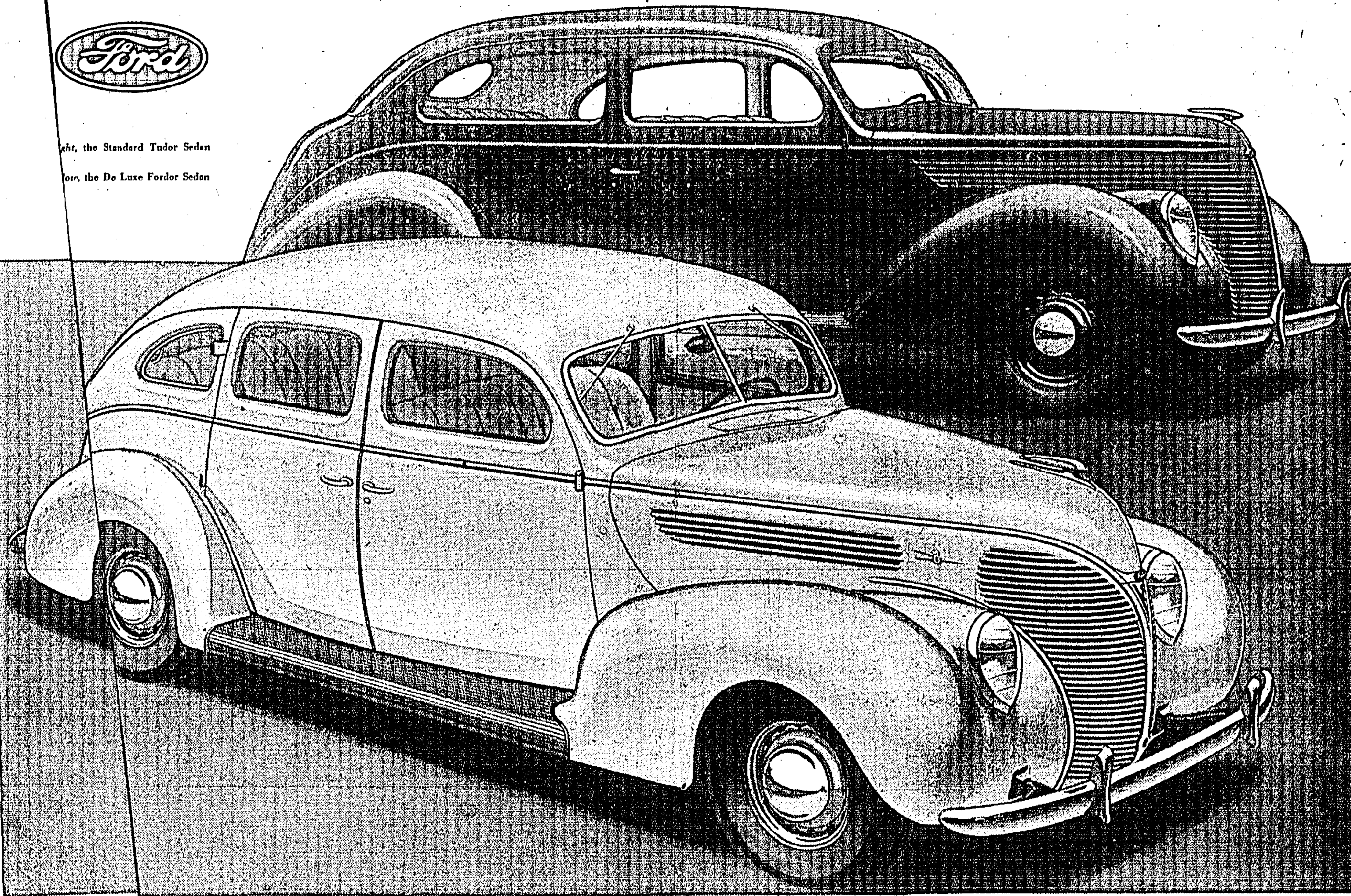
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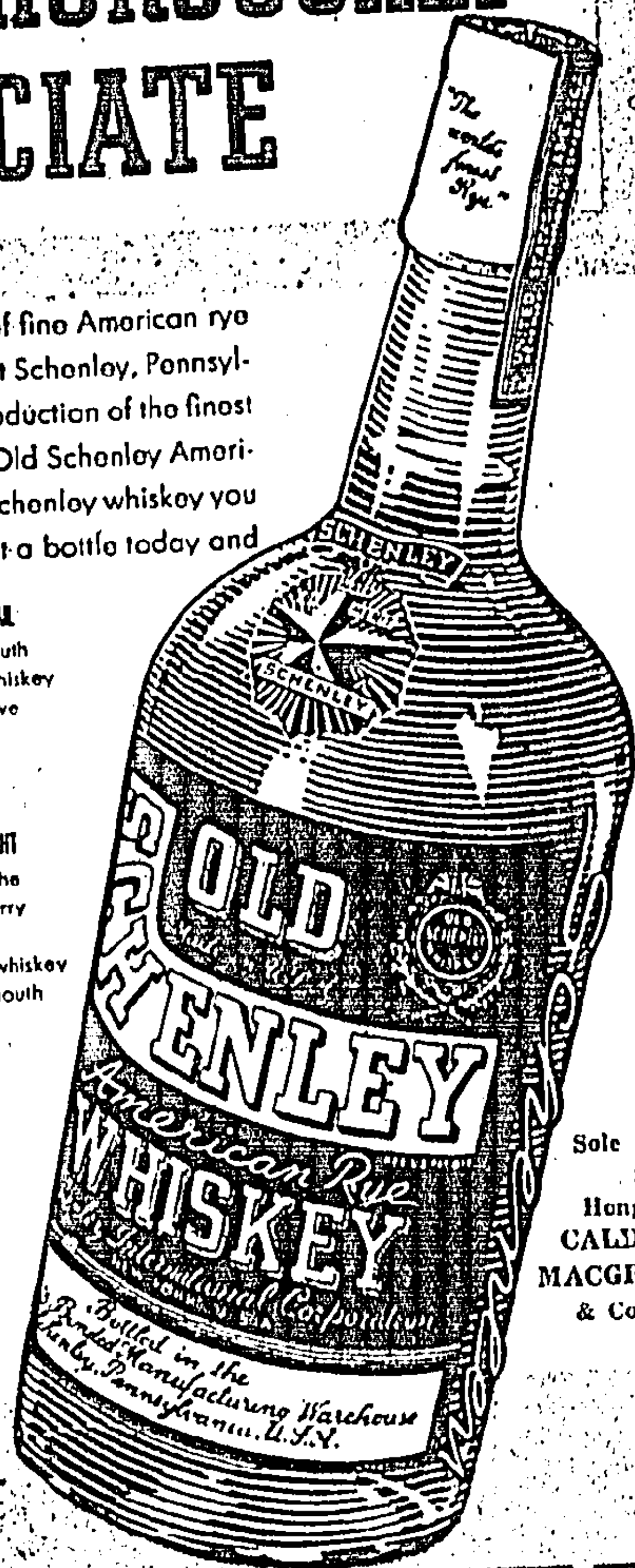
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The INTERNAL Triangle

IT ALL started about three years ago. Just how it started I don't know. Probably a group of Hollywood movie executives were cloistered in one of their interminable conferences, and somebody said, "We gotta get sumpin' new, boys. The public is fed up with gangsters and horse opera and baby stars. And they ain't ready for war stuff again yet. We gotta get sumpin' new."

"There's always sex," someone suggested.

"Yeah, and there's always censorship too. What we want is a fresh angle that everybody is interested in and yet it ain't worked to death, if you understand me."

"How about the stock market?"

"The stock market don't mean a thing to the women out in the sticks, and they're the ones we gotta consider. The stock market ain't a basic theme."

"Whatta you mean, a basic theme?"

"It ain't a general topic of conversation, like love—or crime—or—"

There was a silence.

"Or operations!" cried someone, with a burst of inspiration.

And so a new cycle of Hollywood history began. Within a few months we saw the first of the rubber-gloved Romeos and germicidal Julietts flit across the silver screen. The clanging of ambulances replaced the rattle of machine-gun fire. Moonlight and honeysuckle gave way to Roentgen rays and iodoforn. And some of America's sweethearts looked very fetching in nurses' uniforms.

Of course, the triangle persisted, even in the chaste confines of the hospital. There was always a doctor in love with a patient while a nurse looked wistfully on, or a nurse in love with a doctor while a patient looked wistfully on, or a patient in love with a nurse while a doctor looked wistfully on. Wistfulness seemed to thrive in that antiseptic atmosphere. And the final fade-out always found the whitedad hero and heroine locked in the inevitable embrace, while the villain sulked in his oxygen tent.

It was fascinating to watch the slow dawn of love between the beautiful young nurse and the earnest young medico: first, the brusque impartiality of professional routine, then the gradual awareness of each other as human beings, the lingering touch as surgical instruments passed from hand to hand, and the melting glance of eyes peering over gauze masks. It was also a bit disconcerting—for the patient on the operating table—to realize that Mercury had swapped his caduceus for a cupid's bow and that you might come out of the ether to find your sutures tied in lovers' knots.

In fact, Hollywood has dramatized hospital life so effectively that surgery now holds new terrors for the timid. They see a potential Boris Karloff in every white-smocked figure. In their mind's eye they picture the impending operation, with carefully made-up nurses and internes nervously awaiting their cues, while a harassed director with a megaphone shouts "Lights!" "Action!" and, just as the first incision is about to be made, "Cut!" Thus, in addition to their natural dread of dissection, they must combat the rigors of footlight fever.

"When I had my sinus operation last winter," Cousin Agnes confided to me, "I felt just the way I used to when I had to speak a piece at school. There was the same funny lump in my throat, the same feeling of being too hot and too cold all at once. I had seen so many movies of operations that I felt like an ingenue making her first appearance. It was nothing more or less than plain, old-fashioned stage fright."

After All, Opera Is An Integral Part Of Operations!

So far, the movies have not attempted to combine surgery and syncopation. But there is no reason why the song-and-dance team could not adapt itself as readily to a hospital as to a battleship, a boarding school, a railroad station, or a department store—all of which have served as settings for successful musicals. I submit the following scenario as a possible rubber-tired vehicle for Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire, to be entitled "The Streptocockeyed World."

The scene opens on commencement exercises at the medical school. Mr. Astaire and his fellow graduates, having just received their diplomas and taken the Hippocratic oath, go into a huddle and sing:

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*Have made us slightly cynical:
To us, the female form is bone
and tissue.*

Diagnosis and dissection

*Leave us no time for affection—
So matrimony can't become an
issue.*

*Though there may be little fu-
ture*

In sewing up a suture,

*It's the job to which we dedicate
our lives,*

*And we'll give each operation
Our entire concentration*

*And forget about our sweet-
hearts and our wives.*

*(Chorus) Then it's Hip-Hip-
Hippocrates!*

*And farewell to all that's femi-
nine and frail—*

*Love affairs engender boredom
And besides we can't afford 'em*

*With the debts and the distractions
they entail.*

*So remember, lovely lady,
though you have a pretty face,*

*Professionally speaking, you are
just Another Case.*

Mr. Astaire then fades out in a tap dance, accompanied by his classmates and the members of the faculty, and the next time we see him he is hard at work at Polyoodle Hospital, as an interne. It is there that he meets Miss Rogers, a student nurse. His attention is first attracted to her when she faints while assisting him to perform an operation. This display of feminine frailty exasperates him, and he slaps her—never suspecting that the reason for her weakness is the fact that she has been going without breakfasts in order to pay the gambling debts of her wastrel husband.

The slap naturally awakens Miss Rogers' affection. Though he is unaware of it, Mr. Astaire becomes the subject of her silent adoration—silent except for a solo number:

I'm just a foolish virgin

Enamored of a surgeon

*Who doesn't even know that I
exist.*

I stand beside him, waiting

While he does his operating;

*To him I'm just a good anesthe-
tist.*

*(Chorus) How happy could I
be with either*

*Were I other dear charmer
away!*

But constant proximity

Wrecks equanimity

So what can I do or say?

Just as Miss Rogers finishes her song, the emergency bell in the hospital sounds. A toy train has fallen into a tank of water, and all nurses and doctors are rushed to the scene of the disaster. Miss Rogers and Mr. Astaire find themselves careening through the suburbs in an ambulance. Mr. Astaire does an acrobatic dance in the ambulance, while the driver accompanies him on the gong (which turns out to have been a xylophone all the time).

Arriving at the wreck, they discover, among the casualties, Miss Rogers' wastrel husband, who had embezzled \$50,000 and was fleeing to Mexico with his loot when the toy train toppled over into the tank. His is dead, and Miss Rogers does a *dance macabre*, in which Mr. Astaire joins her. As they dance, he realizes that she is the Only Girl in the World, after all, and he sings:

*I'm tired of being single,
So let's hang out our shingle
In a little country town where
rents are low.*

*For the plain and honest fact is,
I'd prefer a private practice,
And to hell with old Hippocra-*

ates! I'm gonna make some dough!
"But, darling," says Miss Rogers, twirling on her toes, "do you think you have enough equipment to start a practice of your own?"

"Sure," says Mr. Astaire, jumping into the air and kicking his heels together three times. "Why I've been saving bac'n' numbers of the 'National Geographic' for years!" And in the final fade-out we see Mr. Astaire and Miss Rogers embracing, to the accompaniment of "A Pair of Tonsils, a Scalpel, and You—"

I admit that the movies haven't come to this yet, but they will if the present trend continues. The saga of surgery dominates the silver screen, and despite the occasional incursion of cowboys, G-men, athletes, infant prodigies, the Olympics of Beverly Hills remain conked that one good interne deeps another.



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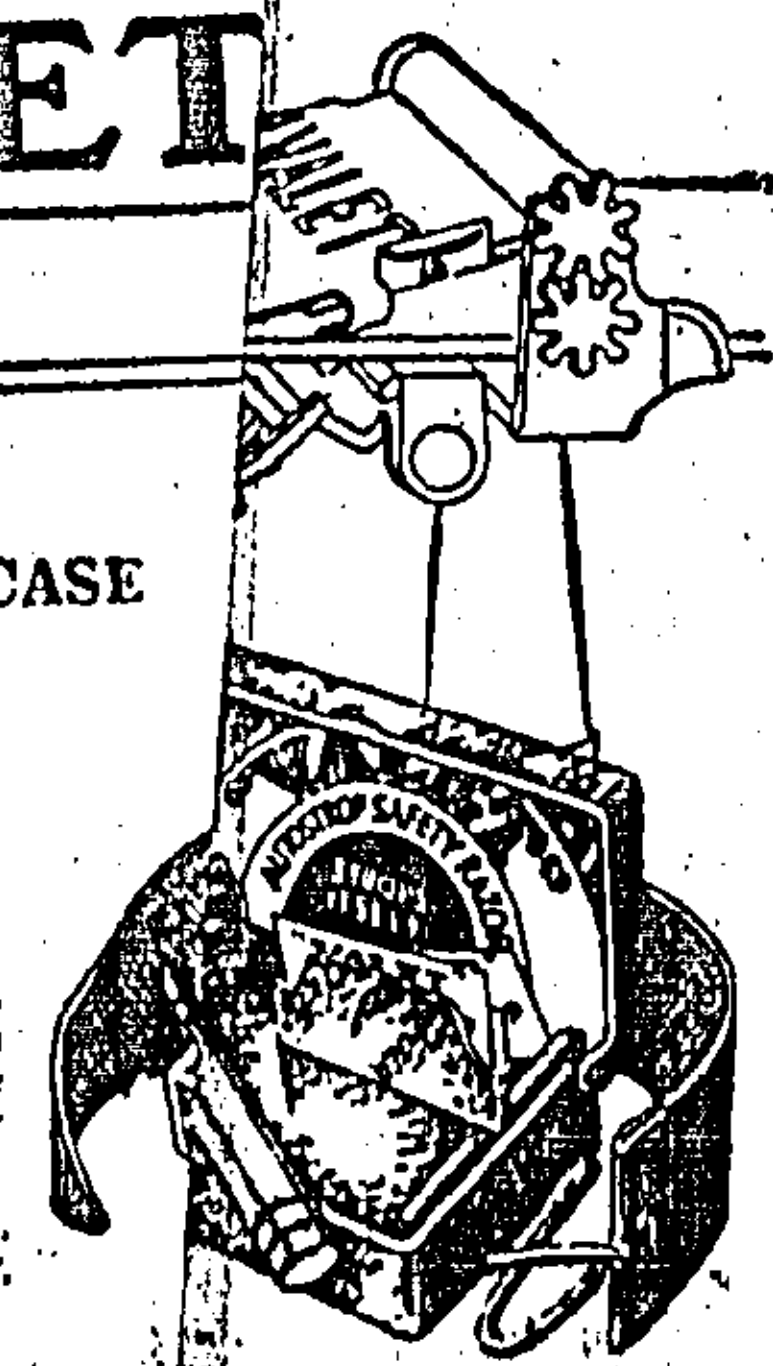
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Punters Kept Busy At Valley

MR. PROULX RIDES FOUR WINNERS

HANDICAP EVE CAUSES BIG UPSET

PUNTERS who were able to spot some of the outsiders must have enjoyed a very profitable afternoon at the First Extra Race Meeting of the Hong Kong Jockey Club yesterday at the Valley, as there were upsets in practically every one of the nine events.

Close finishes featured most of the races and one of the most thrilling was witnessed in the second race of the day, The "Litterers" Stakes, when Handicap Eve won by a short head from Lancashire Lass after travelling right round the course prior to the start of the race, Mr. Young Wing-sing, the novice jockey, being unable to hold in his mount. It was eventually caught near the Golf Club after having broken through a barrier near the entrance to the Stables. It shot into the lead from the start, however, and maintained its right round to the winning post.

The "B" Division of the Tytam Handicap provided another major upset when Mr. Donald Black brought in Mr. S. T. Williamson's Sea Dragon to pay each of its 48 backers \$260.20 for a win.

HOW JOCKEYS FARED

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
B. A. Proulx	2	0	1	2
D. Black	1	0	0	1
V. V. Needa	1	0	1	4
Young Wing-sing	1	0	0	0
A. W. Raymond	1	0	0	4
S. W. Tang	0	3	0	4
B. L. Tao	0	1	1	3
C. F. Gregory	0	1	0	0
F. Li	0	1	0	4
L. B. Chao	0	1	0	4
Y. T. Fung	0	2	0	3
H. C. Pih	0	0	3	3
K. I. Ip	0	0	1	1
K. S. Shu	0	0	1	3
Tang Man Wa	0	0	0	1
C. E. W. Scott	0	0	0	1
Young Wing-kwai	0	0	0	1
Ho Hong-ping	0	0	0	1
L. P. Ralph	0	0	0	2
W. G. Poy	0	0	0	2
Ip Kul Ying	0	0	0	2
S. L. Yuen	0	0	0	5
K. W. Wouh	0	0	0	5
H. P. Chanson	0	0	0	5

HOW OWNERS FARED

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1.—The "Hay and Corn" Stakes.—Seven starters.				
1. About Five Furlongs.				
2. Miss Scott Harston's Army 155 lb. (B. A. Proulx)	1	0	0	0
3. Tucker's Luck's Adventure 152 lb. (L. B. Chao)	2	0	0	0
4. Lucky's Mack Eleven 158 lb. (K. S. Shu)	3	0	0	0
Also ran: Astrik, 161 lb. (W. K. Wouh); Coronation Day, 155 lb. (S. W. Tang); Cricketer, 152 lb. (D. Black); Flying Trapeze, 152 lb. (A. W. Raymond); Golden Brew, 153 lb. (C. F. Gregory); Gold Sovereign, 156 lb. (B. L. Tao); Mac's Second Venture, 152 lb. (C. E. W. Scott); Racing Boy, 155 lb. (H. P. Chanson); Tabby Cat, 152 lb. (H. C. Pih); one 14 starters.				
5.—The Tytam Handicap.—("A" Division).—One Mile.				
1. S. W. Tang's Louis XIV 168 lb. (S. W. Tang)	1	0	0	0
2. Eu Tong Sen's Smiling Thru 161 lb. (B. L. Tao)	2	0	0	0
Also ran: Ali Baba, 152 lb. (H. C. Pih); Borachito, 150 lb. (K. S. Shu); Final Triumph, 155 lb. (Y. T. Fung); Golden Cow, 150 lb. (Y. T. Fung); National Dignity, 140 lb. (H. P. Chanson); National Force, 154 lb. (A. W. Raymond); Piet Hunt, 157 lb. (L. B. Chao); and Salvage Master, 150 lb. (D. Black).				
6.—The Hong Kong Handicap.—("A" Division).—1 1/4 Miles.				
1. Mrs. Dunbar's Red Feather 141 lb. (S. W. Tang)	1	0	0	0
2. Lan's Cassack's Beauty 141 lb. (H. C. Pih)	2	0	0	0
Also ran: Honeymoon Eve, 140 lb. (Y. T. Fung); Soldier of Britain, 140 lb. (Y. K. Wouh); Soldier of Honour, 140 lb. (K. S. Shu); and Trentbridge, 150 lb. (V. V. Needa).				
7.—The Tytam Handicap.—("B" Division).—One Mile.				
1. S. T. Williamson's Sea Dragon 155 lb. (D. Black)	1	0	0	0
2. L. W. F.'s Cape Comorin 152 lb. (L. W. F.)	2	0	0	0
Also ran: Honeymoon Eve, 140 lb. (Y. T. Fung); Soldier of Britain, 140 lb. (Y. K. Wouh); Soldier of Honour, 140 lb. (K. S. Shu); and Trentbridge, 150 lb. (V. V. Needa).				
8.—The Hong Kong Handicap.—("B" Division).—1 1/4 Miles.				
1. Lan's Cassack's Beauty 141 lb. (H. C. Pih)	1	0	0	0
2. Lan's Bright View 158 lb. (H. C. Pih)	2	0	0	0
Also ran: Amber, 140 lb. (H. P. Chanson); Bistre, 148 lb. (H. P. Chanson); Booleat Bay, 169 lb. (B. A. Proulx); Centre Forward, 155 lb. (K. I. Ip); King's Bounty, 149 lb. (L. B. Chao); Laughing Buddha, 140 lb. (S. L. Yuen); Rose Queen, 155 lb. (Y. K. Wouh); Scenic View, 151 lb. (Y. K. Wouh); Tyne, 153 lb. (S. W. Tang).				
9.—The Moonie Ponds Handicap.—One Mile.				
1. Lan's Cassack's Beauty 141 lb. (H. C. Pih)	1	0	0	0
2. Lan's Bright View 158 lb. (H. C. Pih)	2	0	0	0
Also ran: Amber, 140 lb. (H. P. Chanson); Bistre, 148 lb. (H. P. Chanson); Booleat Bay, 169 lb. (B. A. Proulx); Centre Forward, 155 lb. (K. I. Ip); King's Bounty, 149 lb. (L. B. Chao); Laughing Buddha, 140 lb. (S. L. Yuen); Rose Queen, 155 lb. (Y. K. Wouh); Scenic View, 151 lb. (Y. K. Wouh); Tyne, 153 lb. (S. W. Tang).				

2.—The "Litterers" Stakes.—Seven starters.

3.—The "All Out" Stakes.—Six starters.

4.—The Handicap Plate.—One Mile.

5.—The Tytam Handicap.—("A" Division).—One Mile.

6.—The Hong Kong Handicap.—("A" Division).—1 1/4 Miles.

7.—The Tytam Handicap.—("B" Division).—One Mile.

8.—The Hong Kong Handicap.—("B" Division).—1 1/4 Miles.

9.—The Moonie Ponds Handicap.—One Mile.

CASH SWEETPS

Race 1

Race 2

Race 3

Race 4

Race 5

Race 6

Race 7

Race 8

Race 9

RIDING SCHOOL SPORTS

HOSEGOOD WINS VICTOR LUDORUM

Also Breaks Two Records

Excellent sport was witnessed yesterday at the Central British School when the Annual Athletic Sports were held, after which the prizes were distributed by Mrs. G. E. S. Updell, wife of the Headmaster.

C. Hosegood, in addition to winning the Victor Ludorum Cup, broke the school record for the 100 Yards and 400 Yards (Boys) Senior, 1, Fitzsimmons; 2, N. Booker; 3, Gaubert.

70 Yards (Girls) Senior: 1, Miss S. Wilks; 2, Miss S. Cooper; 3, Miss S. Wilks.

80 Yards (Girls) Senior: 1, Miss K. Hyde-Lay; 2, Miss Y. Shaw; 3, Miss J. Stokes.

90 Yards (Girls) Middle: 1, Miss W. Ingram; 2, Miss Ester Burt; 3, Miss Moffat.

100 Yards (Girls) Middle: 1, Miss M. Shand; 2, Miss F. McKelvie; 3, J. Enger.

100 Yards (Boys) Junior: 1, Reid; 2, F. Langley; 3, F. Saby.

100 Yards (Boys) Middle: 1, Reid; 2, F. Langley; 3, F. Saby.

100 Yards (Boys) Senior: 1, Reid; 2, F. Langley; 3, F. Saby.

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100 Yards (Boys) Middle: 1, Reid; 2, F. Langley; 3, F. Saby.

"Y" Ladies Lose To Saints 3-2

WINNERS RECOVER AFTER TWICE BEING IN ARREARS

CHAMPIONS' BACKS UNRELIABLE

ONE of the most thrilling games seen this season in the Caer Clark Cup Ladies' Hockey Competition culminated yesterday in a well-deserved win for St. Andrew's Ladies over the hitherto unbeaten champions, "Y" Ladies, by 3 goals to 2.

The losers were short of a right-winger throughout, Mrs. O. Burnett being indisposed.

It was an interesting game chiefly remarkable for its fluctuating fortunes and a dazzling recovery by the Saints, who, in the last 10 minutes, turned a goal deficit into victory.

The merit of the winners' achievement will be more fully appreciated when it is realised that "Y" Ladies in the four matches which they had played prior to yesterday had scored no fewer than 14 goals, and had only one scored against them.

St. Andrew's, whose team included Miss Hall, Miss Peggy Lawson, Miss Stella Roberts and Miss Janet Broadbridge, promoted from the juniors to fill positions normally occupied by players who are either on the sick list or who have left the Colony, played as though inspired in the second half and were pressing continually. With but a little more fortune, they might easily have added a couple more.

Miss Hall, in goal, emerged from a gruelling second half with great credit, her coolness under pressure relieving many anxious situations when Miss Smith and Mrs. Gardner worked their way into the circle.

Miss Broadbridge, left-back, also played very well and gave every support to her more experienced teammates Miss G. White, who was her usual reliable self.

The half-back trio were all in good form, and their efforts had a great bearing on the final result. Miss Jessie Wong, in the pivotal position, after a somewhat shaky start was really brilliant. She more than made up for her earlier mistakes, who she completely demoralised with her keen tackling and powerful clearances.

Little Given Away

Miss Reid, on her left, and Miss Lawson, on her right, also gave little away. The performance of the latter is deserving of particular commendation for that she was opposed to the most aggressive wing combination in local ladies' hockey—Miss Westcott and Miss Smith.

In attack, the inside forward trio of Miss E. Churn, Miss P. Gittins and Miss S. Roberts, were a constant menace, a pleasing feature of their play being their willingness to go back and forage for the ball when the occasion demanded. Miss Wong, on the right-wing, was very sure with her stick and sent across some nice centres.

For the losers, Mrs. Burke and Mrs. Fowler were unusually unreliable, both being often guilty of letting the opposition through as the result of failing to connect with first-timers.

The intermediate line was sound, while the forwards were, on occasions, quite up to their best form. Miss Smith was the linchpin in attack, and her combined very effectively with Miss Westcott, while Mrs. Gardner played a hard game at inside-right and went close on several occasions.

"Y" opened the scoring through Mrs. Read early in the first-half, but shortly before the interval Miss Gittins equalised. After the break Mrs. Smith scored the first goal, but Mrs. Westcott, who placed the "Y" ahead. Miss Churn then found the net a few minutes later after shots had gone close, and Miss Gittins scored the decider almost immediately after.

St. Andrew's—Miss June Hall, Miss G. White and Miss J. Broadbridge; Miss M. Lawson, Miss J. Wong and Miss H. Reid; Miss F. Wong, Miss E. Churn, Miss P. Gittins, Miss S. Roberts and Miss D. Drew.

"Y" Ladies—Miss J. Lakeman; Mrs. M. R. Burke and Miss A. Fowler; Mrs. Tonge, Miss M. McCaw and Mrs. H. Henry; Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. M. Read, Miss M. Smith and Mrs. M. Westcott.

"Y" BEAT 12TH BRIGADE

At King's Park yesterday afternoon, Y.M.C.A. beat 12th Heavy Brigade, R.A., by 6 goals to 1 in a fast and interesting game.

Kraus and Ross were in splendid form for the winners and combined very well. Kraus (2), Ross (3), and D. Smith scored for "Y" and Ellis for the losers.

C.B.A. LADIES' PRACTICE

In a practice match on the Army ground between the ladies of the C.B.A., the first eleven beat the second eleven by 4 goals to 2.

Mrs. White (2), Miss D. Hunt and Mrs. Daniels scored for the winners, while Miss McAlpine netted all three goals for the juniors.

D.B.S. TENNIS WIN

In a friendly tennis match played yesterday, Diocesan Boys' School entertained St. Stephen's College and registered their first victory for many years.

The following were the scores:—

In Yee and Ip Lai (D.B.S.)

beat S. L. Yung and K. L. Koh ... 6-3

beat R. S. Toh and K. K. Lung ... 6-3

drew with K. L. Yung and A. Tan ... 6-6

M. Sully and Hui Sai-sun (D.B.S.)

beat Yung and Koh ... 6-1

beat Toh and Lung ... 6-3

beat Wong and Tan ... 6-3

D. Gray and D. Lye (D.B.S.)

beat Yung and Koh ... 3-6

drew with Toh and Lung ... 6-6

beat Wong and Tan ... 6-4

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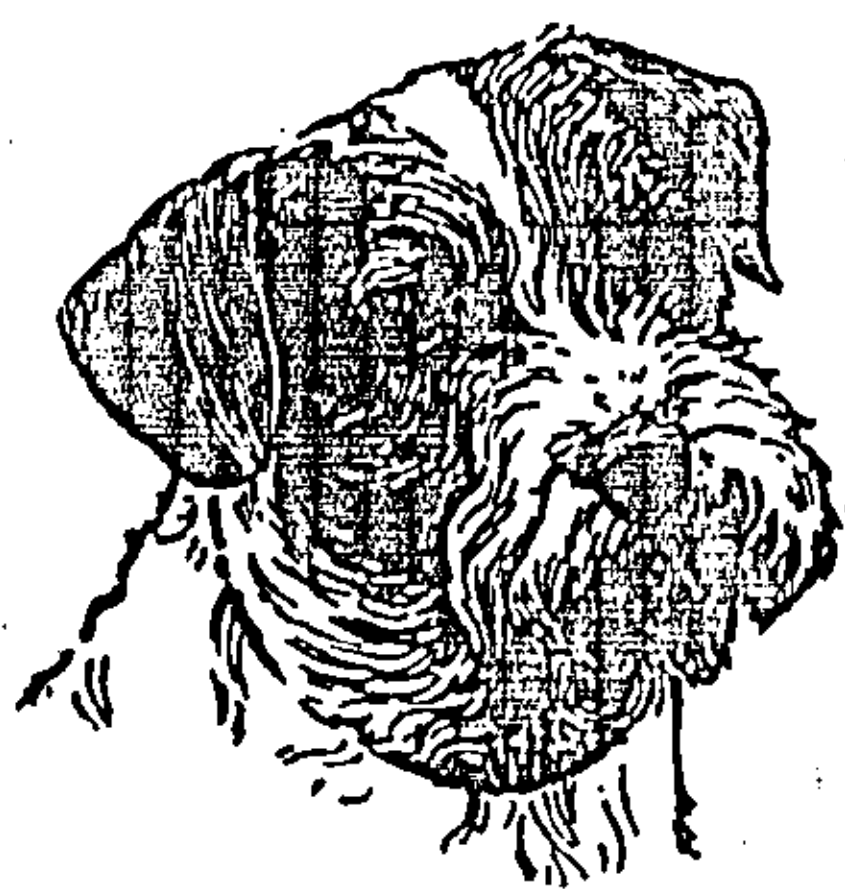
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Craigengower And Indian R.C. Must Play-Off For Cricket Title

NAVY WIN JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

CRAIGENGOWER and Indian R.C. were unable to force a win in their respective games yesterday and it is now necessary for a play-off between these two Clubs to decide the Senior Division Cricket League Championship. The match will be played on a neutral ground, probably that of Hong Kong Cricket Club.

Last year there was to have been a play-off between Hong Kong Cricket Club and Indian R.C. but it was found impossible to fit in the game and they were declared joint champions.

The Junior Division Championship, however, was decided yesterday, and Royal Navy were the new holders. Yesterday they beat the University by two runs at Pokfulam 4.30 p.m. Craigengower, their only rivals, took a drubbing at the hands of H.K.C.C.

After getting rid of the Club's two opening batsmen for only 8 runs Craigengower hopes ran high in their championship-deciding game, but Harry Owen-Hughes stepped into the breach and collected 88 before being bowled.

Owen-Hughes hit 15 boundaries in his 88, scored out of 148 in 115 minutes, and was the only batsman to face P. J. Billimoria (5 for 62 in 22 overs) with any degree of confidence. Sent in to bat at 4.40 p.m. C.C.C. had 121 for 4 on the board at 5.55 but three wickets then fell for six runs and their task became hopeless. They finished up with 137 for 8 in reply to 169 for 9 declared.

MINUS "FIREWORKS"
Sent in to bat at 4.40 p.m. against a total of 100 for 5 declared, K.C.C. for the second week in succession, were forced to play out time. The Indians had only themselves to blame as more enterprising batting against a tired attack would have secured more runs and allowed for an earlier declaration. Given more time, K.C.C. would undoubtedly have gone for the runs, and the rest would have been up to the Indians.

Loosing three of their best batsmen for only 36 runs, the later I.R.C. batsmen dug themselves in, all except A. R. Minu.

Going in at 73 for 3 he hit out at everything to score 74 out of the 100 added for the fifth wicket. He hit 17 boundaries in an innings that lasted only 35 minutes.

In strict contrast A. H. Madar batted in dogged manner for over 100 minutes for his 44 not out, which included five boundaries. Had he included his captain's example and hit out after becoming "set" I.R.C. prospects of a win would have been rosier.

LOYD BOWLS WELL.
N. D. Lloyd bowled 20 consecutive overs and, keeping a very fine length, deserved better figures than 2 for 66. Teddy Fletcher again showed good form with the bat, his 41 out of 68 including seven boundaries, but with his departure K.C.C. settled down to play out time, which they did with four wickets to spare.

The I.R.C. fielding was unusually bad, Fletcher and D. J. N. Anderson both being missed twice off comparatively easy chances.

GODBY'S GOOD DISPLAY
Lt. Godby had a day out against the Civil Service, following up 5 for 42 in 14 overs with 56, scored out of 85 and including eight boundaries.

F. Baker hit a six and five boundaries in his 44, scored out of 71, and A. E. Perry had six boundaries in his 39, scored out of 76, but Civil Service lost by four wickets to give the Army their first win of the season.

The Navy were given a rare fright by University, who, it will be recalled, shunted Army "A" hopes recently. Disturbing their guests for 102 the undergraduates lost nine wickets for 62 before C. H. Teoh (36) and R. Singh (18 not out) came together. They added 88 of the required 4 runs before Teoh was bowled by Ldg Wtr. Church.

After dismissing Club for only 127 in their vital game, Craigengower juniors were dismissed for 105 after being 66 for 4. No fewer than seven batsmen were bowled.

C. B. R. Sargent took 6 for 18 against Police and gave K.C.C. a handsome win. Against Recoire last week Sargent had 7 for 141.

LEAGUE I
C.C.C. Hold H.K.C.C.

At the Valley, Craigengower Cricket Club drew with Hong Kong Cricket Club.

HONG KONG C.C.
L. D. Kilb, b P. R. Zimmern 0
H. B. Neve, c Lee, b Billimoria 6
H. Owen-Hughes, b Billimoria 88
J. B. H. Leckie, b Billimoria 19
M. F. L. Haynes, c W. Hong Sling, b A. K. Ismail 14
L. T. Rido, b Billimoria 13
H. W. Baines, b F. R. Zimmern 5
A. W. Hayward, b F. R. Zimmern 8
G. P. Caroy, c Ismail, b Billimoria 0
F. A. Dunnatt, not out 4
J. H. Fox, not out 7
Extras (B4, LB2, WB1) 7

Total (for 9 wks. dec.) 160
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
F. R. Zimmern 14 3 45 8
Billimoria 24 7 62 5
G. Souza 6 2 25 0
A. T. Leo 1 0 6 0
F. K. Leo 1 0 6 0
A. K. Ismail 3 0 18 1

CRAIGENGOWER
A. R. H. Esmail, b Owen-Hughes 4
F. K. Leo, b Leckie 20
F. R. Zimmern, b Leckie 34
G. Souza, c Baines, b Haynes 81
A. T. Leo, b Leckie 0
E. Zimmern, b Leckie 27
A. K. Ismail, b Leckie, b Haynes 0

FINAL FIRST DIVISION LEAGUE CRICKET STANDINGS

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
I. R. C.	7	4	0	3	15
C. C. C.	7	4	0	3	15
K. C. C.	7	3	0	4	13
H. K. C. C.	7	2	1	4	10
Army	7	1	2	4	7
Recoire	7	1	4	2	5
C. S. C. C.	7	1	5	1	4
Navy	7	0	4	3	3

W. Hong Sling, b Haynes 0
A. B. Hanson, not out 6
J. L. Youngsaye, not out 1
Extras (B1, NB2) 3

Total (for 8 wks.) 137
P. J. Billimoria did not bat.
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
J. B. H. Leckie 18 1 44 4
H. Owen-Hughes 9 0 52 1
H. W. Baines 4 1 24 0
M. F. L. Haynes 5 1 14 3

J. B. H. Leckie bowled two no-balls.
K.C.C. Hold Indians

At Sookunpo, Kowloon Cricket Club drew with Indian Recreation Club.

INDIAN R. C.
S. A. Ismail, c Anderson, b Lee 10
K. Nazarin, c Baxter, b Lloyd 21
A. R. Kitchell, c Hung, b Lee 0
A. H. Madar, not out 44
A. R. Abbas, c Barnett, b Lloyd 24
A. R. Minu, c and b Anderson 7
A. A. Rumjahn, not out 8
Extras (B4, LB4) 9

Total (for 5 wks. dec.) 190
M. el Arculli, A. Baker, M. P. Madar and A. M. Rumjahn did not bat.
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Lee 16 2 68 2
Lloyd 20 2 66 2
Barnett 5 1 23 0
Baxter 2 0 14 1
Anderson 2 0 11 0

KOWLOON C. C.
E. C. Fletcher, c Minu, b Abbas 41
D. J. N. Anderson, b Abbas 27
K. M. Baxter, c Madar, b Abbas 28
G. C. Burnett, not out 1
G. F. O'Brien, b Minu 1
N. D. Lloyd, b A. H. Madar 1
R. E. Lee, not out 2
Extras (B3) 2

Total (for 6 wks.) 95
W. C. Hung, F. Zimmern and S. Jex did not bat.
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Minu 14 0 45 1
Abbas 15 6 32 2
A. H. Madar 5 0 9 0
Arculli 1 0 1 0
M. F. Rumjahn 2 2 0 0
Nairn 3 1 7 0
Kitchell 2 1 1 0

Recoire Beat Navy
At King's Park, Club de Recoire beat the Navy by 62 runs.

CLUB DE RECOIRE
E. L. Gosano, b Chalcroft 4
W. A. Read, b Chalcroft 4
P. M. N. da Silva, b Chalcroft 4
E. M. L. Soares, not out 63
A. M. Rodrigues, b Paxton 2
H. L. Ozerio, c and b Paxton 10
A. P. Pereira, b Whitmarsh 15
J. E. Noronha, c Chalcroft, b Whitmarsh 19
A. V. Gosano, b Spurgeon 1
N. A. Beltrao, b Chalcroft 6
Extras (B7, LB2, NB6) 16

Total 117
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Chalcroft 11.3 4 27 5
Carless 6 0 15 0
Paxton 8 1 31 2
Whitmarsh 5 0 18 2
Spurgeon 3 0 11 1

ROYAL NAVY
Lt. Comdr. Waymouth, c Beltrao, b Pereira 0
Mid. Wilson, b Gosano 0
Capt. Whitmarsh, c Beltrao, b Ozerio 0

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ROYAL NAVY
C. P. O. Hutton, b Singh 27
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Choi, b Tooh 20
Lt. Webster, c Soares, b Tai 20
Lt. Talbot, b Singh 1
L. W. Church, b Singh 7
Cdr. Wauchop, c Teoh, b Ng 20
Lt. Cdr. Darcy-Evans, b Ng 0
E. A. Clayton, b Teoh 8
L. W. Jeffery, c Tai, b Ng 4
P. O. Barker, not out 0
Mus. Johnston, b Ng 0
Extras (B3) 0

Total 103
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FINAL JUNIOR DIVISION LEAGUE CRICKET STANDINGS

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Royal Navy	10	7	0	3	24
C. C. C.	10	6	1	3	21
Army "A"	10	5	2	3	18
Police	10	5	3	2	17
University	10	4	4	2	14
K. C. C.	10	4	4	2	14
H. K. C. C.	10	3	2	5	14
Recoire	10	4	6	0	12
I. R. C.	10	4	6	0	12
C. S. C. C.	10	2	7	1	7
Army "B"	10	0	9	1	1

Sub. Lt. Ogle, c Beltrao, b Pereira 1
C. P. O. Tel. Thomas, b Ozerio 1
Surg. Lt. Comdr. Fletcher, b.w., b Gosano 1
Pay. Comdr. Nave, c Beltrao, b Pereira 13
Sto. Brown, b Gosano 4
Sewnt. Chalcraft, c Reed, b Ozerio 8
Capt. Carless, c Beltrao, b Ozerio 4
P. O. Tel. Paxton, not out 1
Extras (B2, LB2, NB1) 5

Total 66
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Pereira 11 4 17 3
E. L. Gosano 13 8 20 3
Ozerio 6 1 0 13 4

Pereira bowled one no-ball.
Army Beat C.S.C.C.

At Sookunpo, Army beat Civil Service Cricket Club by 4 wickets.

CIVIL SERVICE C.C.
W. H. Colledge, b Godby 12
H. C. Danilla, b Coombes 39
A. E. Perry, b Coombes 39
J. Barrow, c Eynan, b Godby 11
F. Baker, b Godby 44
D. C. K. Hawkins, c and b Palmer 2
A. Strance, c Eynan, b Godby 7
B. D. Evans, b Godby 0
A. Warr, not out 10
N. J. Bebbington, not out 2
Extras (B26 LB9) 32

Total (for 8 wks. dec.) 150
N. Whitlay did not bat.
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Coombes 11 2 38 2
Godby 14 2 42 5
Palmer 0 0 39 1
Eynan 6 0 8 0
Godby bowled one no-ball.

ARMY
Lt. Man, b Perry 3
C. S. M. Northcote, b Baker 2
Lt. Weedon, b Whitlay 43
Lt. Bebbington, c Hawkins, b Warr 27
Lt. Godby, c Colledge, b Perry 55
Lt. Macgwan, b Perry 7
Major Eynan, not out 0
Lt. Smith, not out 1
Extras (B13 LB1) 14

Total (for 6 wks.) 101
Major Rawatone, Sgt. Painter and Pte. Coombes did not bat.
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Baker 18 5 60 1
Perry 20 4 46 3
Whitlay 5 0 22 3
Warr 3 0 10 1

LEAGUE II
H.K.C.C. Beat C.C.C.

At the H.K.C.C., Hong Kong Cricket Club beat Craigengower Cricket Club by 15 runs.

H.K.C.C. 2ND XI
H. J. Armstrong, c Omar, b Lam 18
Lam 19
R. M. M. King, c and b Lam 19
F. H. Stokes, b.w., b France 17
R. S. W. Paterson, b Lam 5
E. J. R. Mitchell, b Omar 11
C. W. E. Bishop, b Kitchell 0
N. P. Fox, b Winch 13
D. S. Robb, b and b Omar 1
D. S. Blake, not out 7
G. E. R. Divett, c Leonard, b France 19
V. C. Bond, c Omar, b France 0
Extras (B16, LB4, NB2) 22

Total 123
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Winch 7 2 20 1
Omar 8 1 18 2
Lam 8 3 21 3
France 4.2 1 18 3
Kitchell 5 1 23 1
Omar bowled two no-balls.

C.C.C. 2ND XI
D. Hume, b Fox 23
H. P. Lim, b Fox 29
A. Zimmern, b Robb 1
J. W. Leonard, b.w., b Divett 16
G. Winch, b Divett 5
C. W. Lam, b Bishop 10
G. A. Lee, c Stokes, b Fox 6
A. Kitchell, not out 6
B. R. France, c and b Robb 0
A. M. Omar, b Robb 0
Extras (B5, LB1) 6

Total 105
Bowling Analysis
O. M. R. W.
Fox 8 2 16 8
Bond 4 0 10 0
Divett 16 1 38 3
Robb 13.2 8 33 3
Bishop 2 0 2 1

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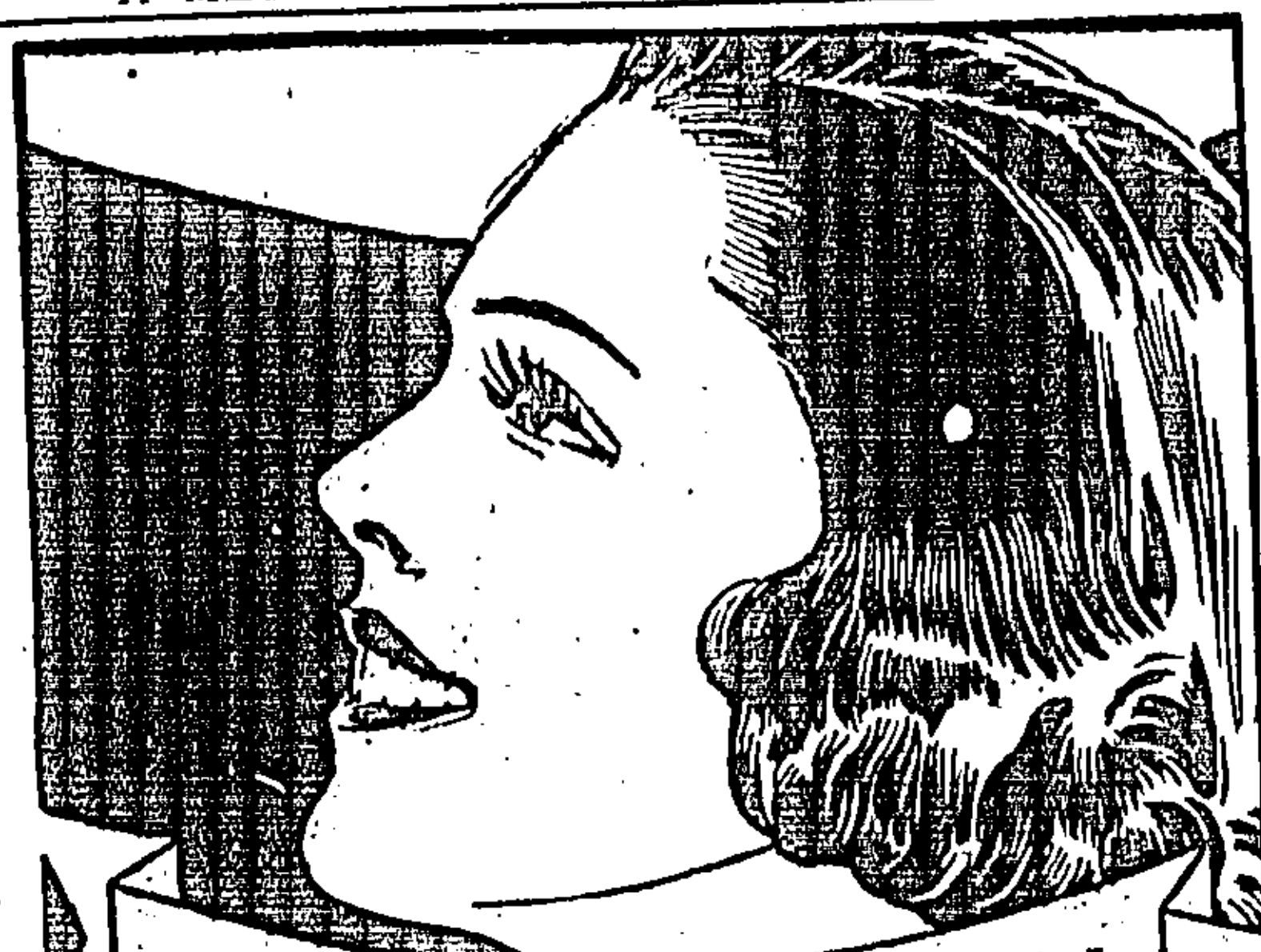
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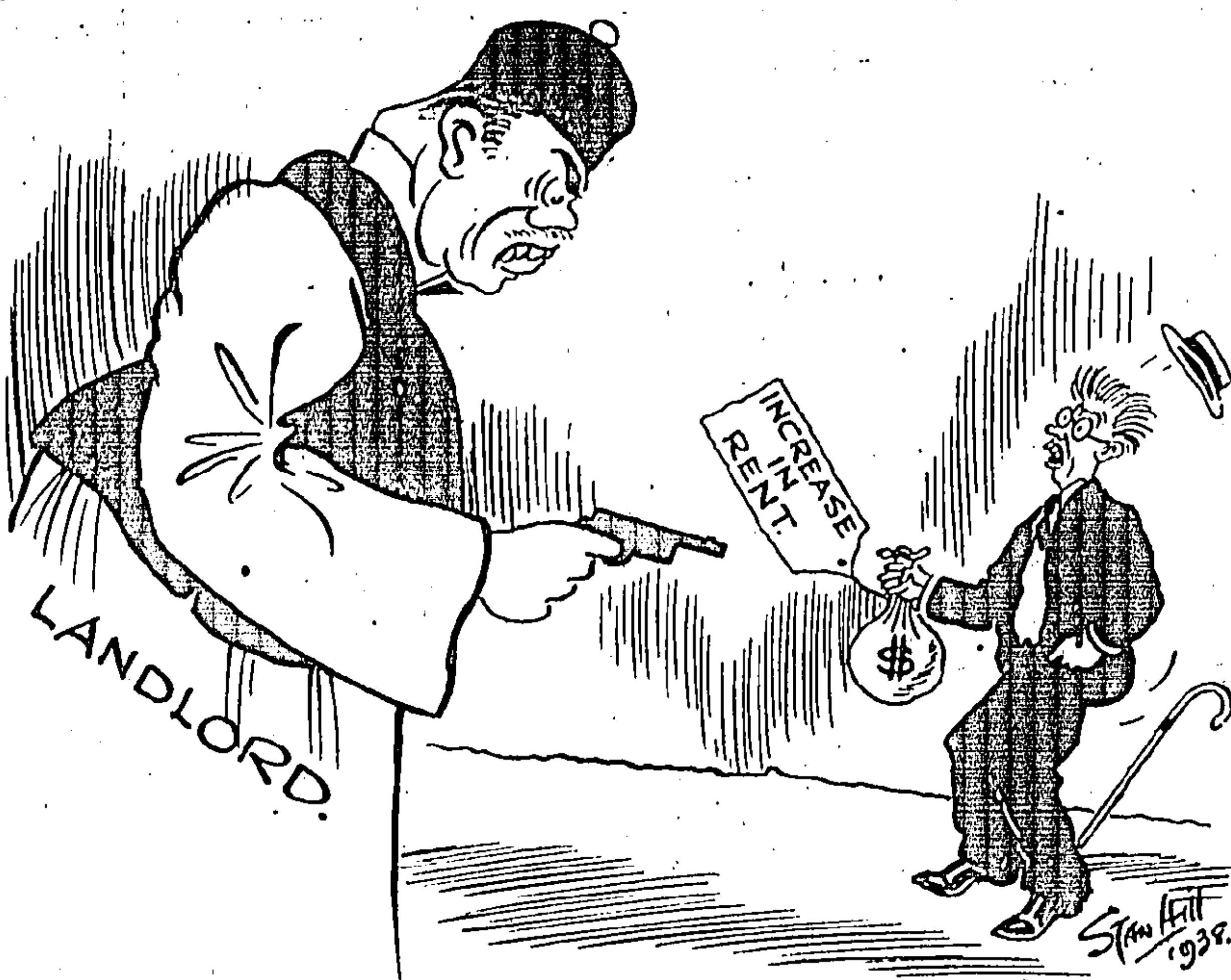
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12.15 p.m.—Mozart's Composition including Piano Concerto in C Minor.
1 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.03 p.m.—Light Symphony Orchestra.

HONG KONG ART DISPLAY FOR TOURISTS

In order to give Empress of Britain visitors an opportunity of acquiring the work of local artists, especially in their depiction of Hong Kong scenery, "The Travel Association" is affording the hospitality of its attractive Kiosk to the Working Artist's Guild for the exhibition of a few pictures, which are all for sale.

"The Hong Kong Working Artists' Guild" is an attempt to weld into a significant group the scattered but not negligible art of the Colony, and to create an Art Centre for the Far East. Already "history has been made" as one Western-trained Chinese artist put it, when a well known Chinese artist, Mr. Pau Siu Yau, gave a series of lectures and lessons at the Guild Studio to Western artists, expounding the theory and practice of Chinese traditional art. He himself studied in Tokyo, and some fifteen years ago, with others, initiated a school of study of Oriental Art with a fresh approach direct from Nature. Their work has been exhibited with great success in London, Paris, Berlin and other European and American centres. Some of his local studies are at the Kiosk, and may be acquired by the discriminating. Mr. Luis Chan, "Hong Kong's Own Artist," in various media, has worked out his own conceptions very freely. A select exhibition of his pictures is at present being shown in a London gallery.

Besides some land and seascape sketches and impressions of Hong Kong by our European members, there are studies of oriental types as seen through Western eyes which should attract attention. All being work done on the spot, these pictures are offered at very low prices. Many will undoubtedly appreciate in monetary value as the painters become better known, even before, by dying, they close the tale of their achievements. The Travel Association hopes to form a permanent link with the Working Artist's Guild by keeping a continuous display of the work of members on sale at the Kiosk. It should be good publicity for Hong Kong as well as for tourism, especially when, alas! on this occasion, Hong Kong is not showing its marvellous scenery and delightful climate to the best advantage. **IRENE M. ASHBY MACFADYEN**, President of the Working Artists' Guild.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.
1.40 p.m.—Alfred Cortot—Piano.
Op. 51 (Chopin).
Fantaisie Impromptu in C Sharp Minor, Op. 66 (Oeuvre Posthume) (Chopin).
Tarentelle, Op. 43 (Chopin).
Valse In A Flat, Op. 69, No. 1 (Chopin).
1.55 p.m.—Selections from Wagner Operas.
Wie Sie Selig (Tristan and Isolde) ... Lauritz Melchior (Tenor) and the London Symphony Orchestra cond. by Prof. Beech.
Aldershot Command Searchlight Tattoo—"Pilgrims' Chorus" and "Grand March" (Tannhauser) ... Massed Bands of the Aldershot Command cond. by Leslie Seymour.
Vendicta Mir Die Meister Nicht (Die Meistersinger) ... Friedrich Schorr (Baritone) and the Berlin State Opera Orchestra cond. by Dr. Leo Blech.
2.15 p.m.—Light Orchestra.
The Daughter of The Regiment—Overture (Donizetti) ... Vienna Symphony Orchestra Cond: Paul Kerby.
Canzonetta (D'Ambrosio) ... Alfredo Campoli & His Sinfonia Orchestra.
Italian Folk Song, Medley (de Michelis) ... Columbia Meister Orchestra.
2.30 p.m.—Close down.
6.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7 p.m.—An Hour With Mendelssohn. Overture "Fingal's Cave" Op. 26. The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra. Conductor: Adrian Boult.
Andante and Rondo Capriccioso. Irene Scharrer (Piano).
Hear My Prayer ... Choir Of The Temple Church, London. Organist: G. Thalben Ball. Soloist: Master E. Lough.
Trio In D Minor, Op. 49. Cortot, Thibaud and Casals.
Andante (From 'Sonata No. 6'). Edouard Commette (Organ Solo).
8 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
8.03 p.m.—Studio—Frederick English (Baritone) Accompanied by N. Kauls.
1. "Yeomen of England" (from "Merry England")—(German).
2. "The Vagabond" (from "Songs of Travel"—Vaughan Williams).
3. "Droop not young Lover" (Handel).
4. "Volga Boatman."

5. "Fill a Glass With Golden Wine" (Quilte).
6. "Where 'ere you Walk" (Handel).
8.30 p.m.—Studio—Orchestra of "Empress of Britain" under the direction of John Curtis—Fred Everard (Piano).
1. Suite of Dances From Nell Gwyn (German).
2. Intermezzo—Springtime Serenade (Heykenn).
3. Waltz—Les Patineurs (Waldteufel).
4. Piano Novelty—The Clock With The Dresden Figures (Ketelby).
5. Entracte—Serenata (Tonelli).
6. Potpourri—Carmen (Bizet).
7. Humorous Novelty—Lazy Pete (Kersten).
8. Moreau—Salut D'Amour (Elgar).
9. Characteristic Novelty—Grasshoppers Dance (Buenos Aires).
10. Selection—Roberta (Kern).
9.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.
9.40 p.m.—Egon Petri (Piano) and Fritz Kreisler (Violin).
Sonata In C Sharp Minor ("Moonlight")—(Beethoven—Op. 27 No. 2).
Indian Lament (Dvorak-Kreisler).
Slavonic Dance No. 3 in G Major (Dvorak-Kreisler).
9.55 p.m.—Organ Prologue. Organ Concerto In B Flat (Handel) played by Dr. E. Bullock.
10.10 p.m.—Studio—Sunday Evening Epilogue: The Bishop Of Hong Kong on "The Christian Faces the World." 2. Faith.
10.30 p.m.—Close down.

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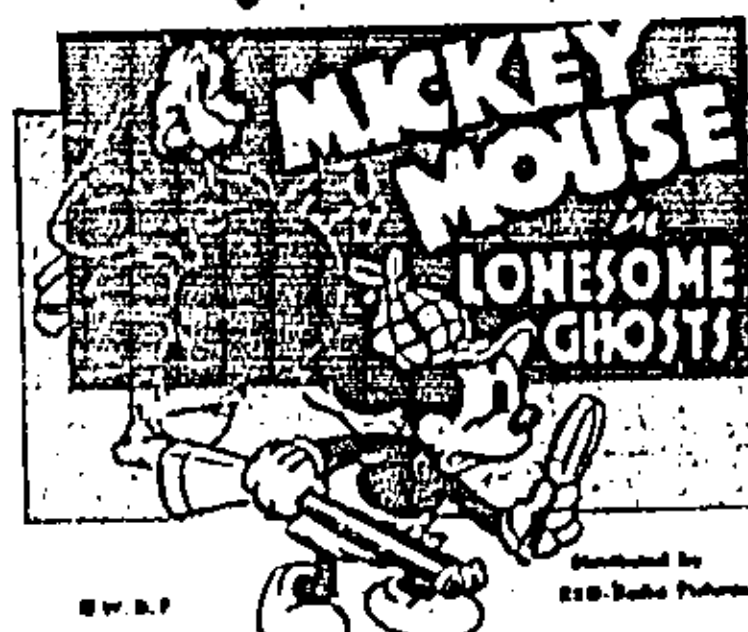
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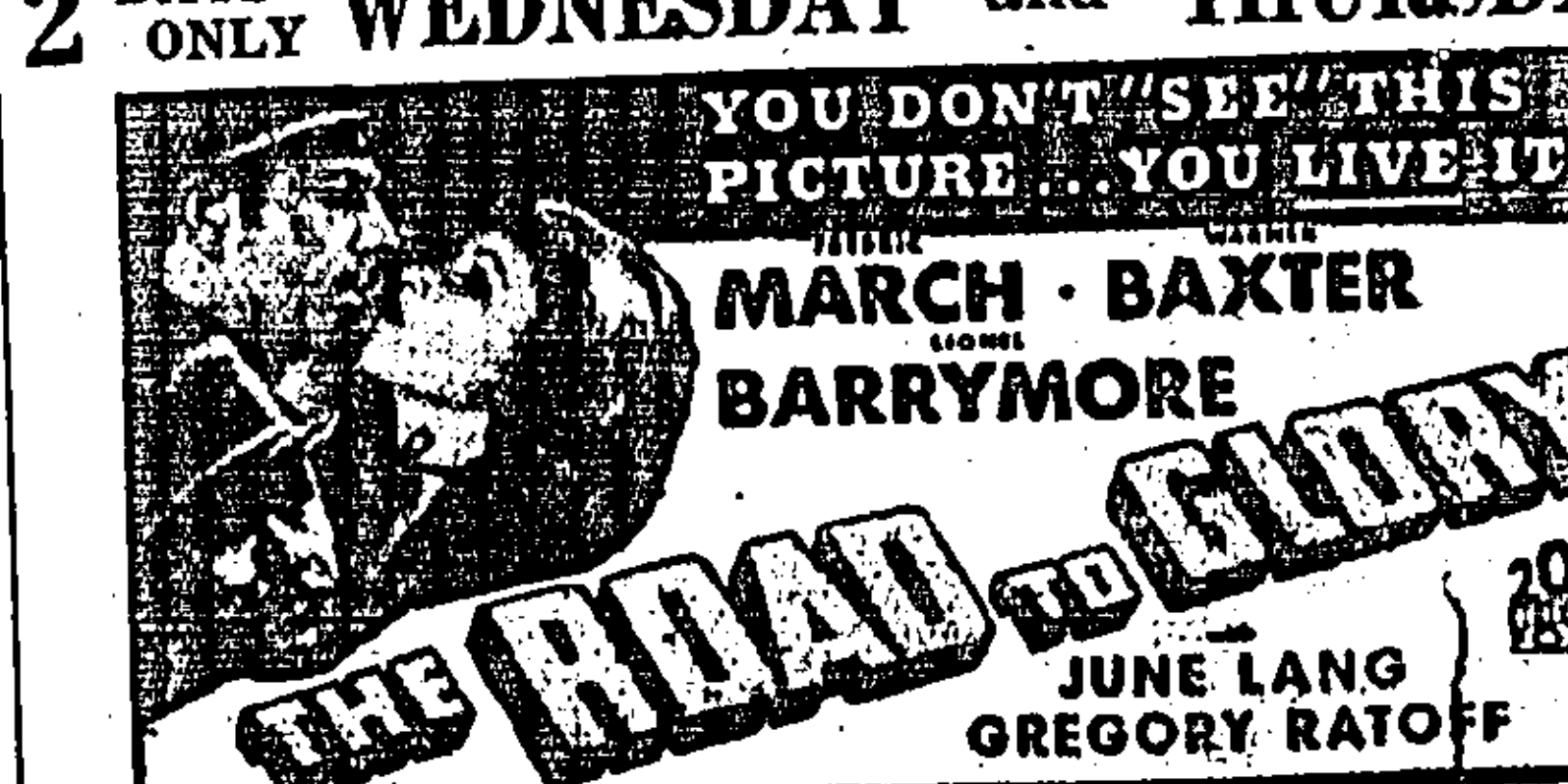
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SEAFORTH'S FIELD WEAK TEAM BUT BEAT SAINTS BY TWO GOALS

KOWLOON BOW TO S. CHINA "B" BY ONLY GOAL

Bliss Gives Sterling Display For Losers

The First Division League match between Kowloon and South China "B", at Kowloon, proved anything but exciting, and though the Chinese secured both points by the only goal, the standard of football was poor and not what one expected from South China "B".

Bliss, in his usual position of centre-half, for Kowloon, was the dominating figure on the field, effectively rubbing Chan Tak-fai and always endeavouring to infuse life into the game. He, however, received little encouragement from his own colleagues. For once Jorge and W. Knox, on the right were ineffective and failed to improve matters when they changed positions after the interval. D. Knox, on the left-wing, came within an ace of scoring on more than one occasion, but was unlucky.

Betta, at centre-forward, failed to make anything of the casual defence offered by Tay Kwee-lung and Lau Mui, though he received little support. In the Kowloon defence, Eastman and C. White were fully sound. Young Shui-ying and Yung Hing-woo on the right, with Leung Yuen-chun in support in the half-back line, made progress at times at the expense of Honnball and Eastman, but poor passing near goal nullified their efforts.

LAI WAH CUP FINAL THIS AFTERNOON

A record crowd is expected at the Final of the Lai Wah Cup competition, when the Army meet the Chinese at Causeway Bay this afternoon at 4 p.m. and, in view of the excellent display given by the Services' team against the Hongkong Corinthians recently, they are considered a good chance of retaining the trophy.

The following are the teams: Army—Duncan, Watson and Sheehan; Freshwater, Bright and Proctor; Grogan, McGuigan, Peniston, Saw and Calvert.

Reserves—Fraser, Fisher-Cooke, Alsop, Hosack and Percival. Chinese—Tam Kwan-kon; Mak Shui-hon and Lee Ting-sang; Leung Wing-chui, Lau Hing-choi and Soong Ling-sing; Yeung Shui-yick, Fung King-cheung, Chan Tak-fai, Lai Shui-wing and Hau Ching-to.

KOWLOON CHINESE SHARE SPOILS EASTERN LUCKY NOT TO BE BEATEN

KOWLOON Chinese succeeded in sharing two goals with Eastern, who were confidently expected to annex both points, yesterday on the Club ground. Had the Kowloon Chinese forwards shown more thrust and shooting power they would have undoubtedly registered a comfortable victory. However, with the exception of Tsui King-len, who was the best man on the field, the forwards could make little headway against the deadly tackling of Chan Sin-chuen and Ng Yui-hai.

SOUTH CHINA NET SIX GOALS AGAINST CLUB

Strange & Forrow Prove Worth

A drab and uninteresting display of football was witnessed at Caroline Hill yesterday, when South China "A" met the Club in a First Division encounter and ran out easy winners by 6 clear goals, their superiority, although always apparent, being finally established in the second half, when they had matters much their own way and scored four goals, the other two being scored in the minutes immediately preceding the interval.

The Club included Syd. Strange and Forrow, and both proved their worth. Forrow played the part of an attacking centre-half, with the result that there was nearly always a gap down the centre of the field when the Chinese assumed the attack, but Strange kept a watchful eye on Wong Mee-shun.

The onus of goal-scoring was therefore thrust on South China's inside forwards, and, unfortunately for the Club, they were equal to their task. Lai Shui-wing was a constant source of danger to the Club defence with his tricky dribbling and deft passes, and his fine combination with Tang Kwong-sum. Lam Pak-chuen and Cheung Moon-wing, on the opposite flank, were quite reliable as individuals, but they did not reveal the same understanding. The former was responsible for two good goals, however, and shared with Wong Mee-shun in approach work.

Little can be said in favour of the Club forwards. They displayed no cohesion and were erratic in their passing and shooting. Scott being the pick of the line. Fowler, playing behind Scott, gave him excellent support until he met with an injury which rendered him a passenger.

Skinner performed his task in goal with great skill, showing complete confidence in his handling of the ball.

South China scored through Lai Shui-wing (3), Lau Fuk-chuen (2) and Tang Kwong-sum.

Middlesex Beat Police 3-0

PARKER AGAIN IN LIMELIGHT

The Middlesex obtained a very comfortable win by 3 clear goals against the Police in their First Division League clash at Soopun. Had the soldiers exerted themselves there would have been a much heavier score.

Most of the play was confined to the Police half and with the exception of one or two attempts by Wall and his colleagues to find the Middlesex net, the Police never impressed as an attacking combination.

Parker and Bone, with some patchy assistance from Brittain, were saddled with the full responsibility of stopping the activities of the Middlesex attack, and, although the task proved too much for them, Parker distinguished himself on several occasions by his clean and timely interceptions. However, it was not a success at left-half. Northcote was very hard to come to an understanding with his wing-forward, but, although he supplied the right kind of passes, Sullivan had no control over the ball.

The Middlesex provided an object lesson in inter-passing, but their forwards failed in the goal area.

Saw was guilty of dilly-dally methods in front of goal, although he played a very sound constructive game and made many openings.

The Soldiers' chief asset was in defence, where Bright and his wing-halves seldom called upon Sheehan and Watson to break up the sorry efforts of the Police forwards. The Middlesex took the initiative and their first goal arrived after 20 minutes, Pearson looking the ball into the net during a scrimmage. Soon after Courtney increased their lead with a fine header from Grogan's centre. After the interval, the Police goal was subjected to a thorough bombardment. Grogan netting the winners' final goal just before the end.

McGuigan Best Forward On View SOLDIER FORWARDS DALLY IN THE GOALMOUTH

FUELING practically a reserve eleven, the Seaforths succeeded in taking both points from St. Joseph's in their First Division game at Causeway Bay yesterday by two clear goals. The over-done dribbling in front of goal they would have won by a much more substantial margin. The soldiers gave a fine exhibition of mid-field play and had the Saints, penned in their own half for three-quarters of the game.

Owing to the ineffectiveness of the Saints' forward line Atkinson had a very quiet afternoon and was only called on above five times throughout. Spillers stood out in the defence, and although having the task of marking the elusive Leonard he emerged from their duels with all the honours. The Scots' half-back

CLUB LOSE 4-0 TO SOUTH CHINA

South China met with very little opposition in their Second Division game against the Club at Caroline Hill, and won by 4 clear goals.

But for Kowloon and Hongkong's score would have been doubled, both players giving sterling displays from start to finish. The Club's main fault lay with their forwards, Leonard and Sloan being far too slow and inaccurate in their passing and shooting.

Duncan, in the centre, worked hard, but made little headway against the defence of Ho Ching-shing and Wong Wai-kan. Henderson was the pick of the halves. Miller, at centre-half, played well to a degree, but appeared to tire towards the end, and the Chinese forwards, always alert, took full advantage of the gap down the middle.

Lee Po-leung was the star man of the Chinese team, and scored three goals and had a hand in the other, scored by Lau Pak-chuen. Li Wing-on gave a good display, as pivot, and Wau Wai-kan was slightly the better of the two full-backs.

KWONG WAH WIN DESERVED POINT

After a very fierce tussle on the Kowloon ground yesterday, Kwong Wah and the 5th A.A. Brigade shared the spoils in their Second Division League engagement, scoring two goals each.

Had the game been featured by less rough and boisterous tackling, it would have gone in favour of the Gunners. Wintanley, in the Gunners' pivot position, gave Chin Chai-tun very little room to move in front of goal, and on the flanks, Lawlor and Birch had the measure of the Kwong Wah attack, whenever the ball was in the air.

In attack, the R.A. were ragged, the only forward to shine being Coughlan, at inside right, but his spoon-kicking of Hancock, on the wing, came to nothing, while Colley, in the centre, was unable to secure a clear sight of goal due to the close attention of the Kwong Wah centre-half, Yeung Tien-sung.

Calvert, at inside-left, occupied most of his time with optimistic long range drives. Da Rocha and Wong King-cheung, on Kwong Wah's left wing, were dangerous, receiving excellent support from Wong Wah-yang.

Da Rocha opened the scoring for Kwong Wah, the Gunners equalising from a penalty, taken by Lawlor just prior to half-time. They took the lead after the reumption, Hancock heading through towards the goal, Da Rocha netting to give Kwong Wah a well-deserved point.

League Tables To-Date

FIRST DIVISION

Team	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Middlesex	15	11	2	2	37	19	24
S. China "B"	12	11	1	0	35	11	23
Seaforths	14	9	1	4	34	25	19
South China "A"	14	8	2	4	45	19	18
Eastern	12	6	3	3	35	25	15
Kowloon	12	6	1	5	24	16	13
Police	13	2	4	7	24	28	8
St. Joseph's	13	2	2	9	32	38	6
Club	12	2	0	10	28	54	4
K. Chinese	15	1	2	12	20	74	4

SECOND DIVISION

Team	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
5th Bde. R.A.	14	12	1	1	43	21	25
Kwong Wah	17	10	5	2	66	22	25
Middlesex	13	11	2	0	47	11	24
South China	17	10	0	7	46	26	20
Engineers (E)	15	8	3	4	48	27	19
Seaforths	12	6	3	3	27	23	15
Kowloon	14	5	2	7	26	29	12
Club	14	4	0	10	36	53	8
Chinese Police	16	4	0	12	24	57	8
Engineers (C)	11	1	0	10	16	57	2
Eastern	14	0	0	14	11	64	0

YESTERDAY'S FOOTBALL RESULTS AND GOAL-SCORERS

DIVISION I

KOWLOON	0	SOUTH CHINA "B"	1
SOUTH CHINA "A"	6	Chan Tak-fai	0
Lai Shui-wing 3, Lau Fuk-chuen 2, Tang Kwong-sum.			
ST. JOSEPH'S	0	SEAFORTH'S	2
Pearson, Grogan, Courtney.		Ferguson, Thompson.	
MIDDLESEX	3	POLICE	0
KOWLOON CHINESE	1	EASTERN	1
Tsui Po-wan.		Au She-ngok.	

DIVISION II

KWONG WAH	2	5TH A.A. BDE. R.A.	2
Da Rocha 2.		Lawlor, Bancroft.	
SOUTH CHINA	4	CLUB	0
Leo Pui-leung 3, Lau Fook-chuen.			
*MIDDLESEX	v	KOWLOON	v
*EASTERN	v	CHINESE R.E.	v
EUROPEAN ENGINEERS	2	POLICE	1
Oughton 2.		Wong Mou-ka.	
* POSTPONED.			

YACHTING RESULTS

Results of yesterday's Fifth Championship Series of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club were as follows:

Yacht Corrected Pos'n Pts

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n	Pts
'H' Class started at 14.25			
Colleen	17.09.04	1	10
(Mr. G. G. Tarr)			
Aerial	17.06.50	2	7
(Mr. Drew Wilkinson)			
Diana	17.09.24	3	7
(Mr. G. Gifford Hall)			
Dorothea	17.10.17	4	6
(Mr. A. Drummond)			

'B' Class started at 14.30

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n	Pts
Carpenter	16.43.12	7	7
(Major B. E. G. Dixon)			
Nereid II	16.47.50	11	11
(Lt. E. Stanley, R.N.)			
Artemis	16.44.17	6	6
(Mr. S. Berg)			

'C' Class started at 14.35

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n	Pts
Eve	16.40.40	0	7
(Capt. E. Bader)			
Jan	16.40.05	1	10
(Capt. J. Krogh Moo)			
Isabel	16.58.47	13	13
(Dr. L. J. Davis)			

'D' and 'E' Classes started at 14.35

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n	Pts
Gull	16.40.24	2	7
(Mr. H. Dreyer)			
Redshank	16.45.11	6	6
(Capt. S. Honkinson)			
True Blue	16.43.24	4	7
(Mr. H. S. Rouse)			

'F' Class started at 14.35

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n	Pts
Kittiwake	16.40.30	8	8
(Miss P. M. King)			
Painted Lady	16.46.44	10	10
(Capt. M. T. L. Wilkinson)			
Jean	16.47.52	12	12
(Col. G. C. Gifford)			

'G' Class started at 14.35

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n	Pts
Gael	17.01.01	1	10
(Col. S. Smith)			
Owl	D.N.S.		
Eyrl	16.46.41	5	6
(Major J. C. L. Yale)			
Allsa	16.46.52	7	7
(Mr. W. G. Ingram)			

'H' Class started at 14.35

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n	Pts
Stella	16.44.52	1	11
(Mr. F. C. Manning)			
Heron	16.46.38	3	8
(Lt. Willmott, R.N.)			
Robena	16.45.44	2	9
(Mr. D. W. Wagstaff)			

'I' Class started at 14.35

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n	Pts
Widgeon	16.46.39	4	7
(Mrs. L. Garner)			
Nannette	16.52.10	9	9
(Mr. E. Stevenson)			
Sirius	16.47.45	8	8
(Mr. J. G. B. Dowar)			
Zephyr	16.46.49	6	6
(Col. Haycraft)			

Cricket

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Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
K. L. Ng	17.5	6	40	4
C. H. Teoh	8	3	16	2
J. Taul	2	0	16	1
R. Singh	9	2	18	3
A. K. Phang	3	0	6	0

Batting Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
J. Fong, b. Church				16
J. Taul, b. Jeffery				4
K. S. Oh, b. Jeffery				0
V. Lingam, st. Clayton, b. Hutley				3
K. L. Ng, l.b.w., b. Church				14
C. H. Phang, b. Church				36
G. Hong Choy, b. Johnston				1
R. M. Soares, c. Johnston, b. Hutley				0
L. H. Tan, b. Hutley				1
R. Singh, not out				18
Extras (Df, LB1)				0

Total	O.	M.	R.	W.
Jeffery	0	0	24	2
Church	10.3	3	31	3
Hutley	12	3	20	4
Johnstone	7	2	8	1
Barker	3	1	2	0

Indians Beat Recreio

At King's Park, Indian Recreation Club beat Club de Recreio by 85 runs.

I.R.C. 2ND XI	O.	M.	R.	W.
H. T. Barma, b. Gosano				0
K. M. Rumlaln, b. Gosano				46
F. A. Curreen, b. Alves				19
A. K. Minu, not out				40
A. A. Azziz, run out				10
T. Ali, not out				1
Extras (Bf, N.B1)				7

Total (for 4 wks. dec.) 137
N. Singh, M. Hosen, V. A. Rumlaln, A. J. M. Barma and A. N. Other did not bat.

Bowling Analysis	O.	M.	R.	W.
Alves	14	3	40	1
Gosano	12	3	38	2
Carvalho	7	0	48	0
Soares	0	0	4	0

RECREIO 2ND XI

I.R.C. 2ND XI	O.	M.	R.	W.
A. E. Noronha, c. Rumlaln, b. Singh				2
J. Soares, c. Curreen, b. Singh				0
L. G. Gosano, c. Curreen, b. Barma				20
H. M. Xavier, c. Husan, b. Singh				8
F. A. Rumlaln, b. Singh				1
E. A. R. Alves, l.b.w., b. Singh				0
J. J. Remedios, b. Singh				5
M. M. Gutierrez, b. Singh				0
A. A. Lopes, b. Barma				0
J. Oliveira, run out				1
R. A. Campos, not out				0
Extras (Bf)				1

Total 62
N. Singh 12, M. Hosen 7, Rumlaln 5, 1, 14, 0, Curreen 3, 0, 16, 0, Barma 3.2, 0, 9, 2

K.C.C. Beat Police

At Cox's Road, Kowloon Cricket Club beat the Police by 31 runs.

K.C.C. 2ND XI	O.	M.	R.	W.
A. A. Dand, b. Barker				3
B. D. Lay, c. Pope, b. Carey				46
R. T. Broadbridge, c. Oakley, b. Barker				19
C. B. R. Sargent, b. Carey				0
W. L. McKenzie, b. Carey				0
G. A. V. Hall, b. Carey				0
A. A. Gray, b. Pope				4
B. Baldwin, l.b.w., b. Carey				2
J. R. Luke, c. Stephens, b. Carey				9
W. Bamro, not out				0
H. Brokenshaw, b. Pope				0
Extras (Bf, LB3, WB1)				5

Total 94
Bowling Analysis O. M. R. W. Pope 10.2 1 27 2 Barker 8 1 31 2 Carey 8 0 31 6

POLICE

A. Dand, b Baker	3
D. Lay, c Pope, b Carey.....	45
T. Brondbridge, c Oakloy, b Baker	19

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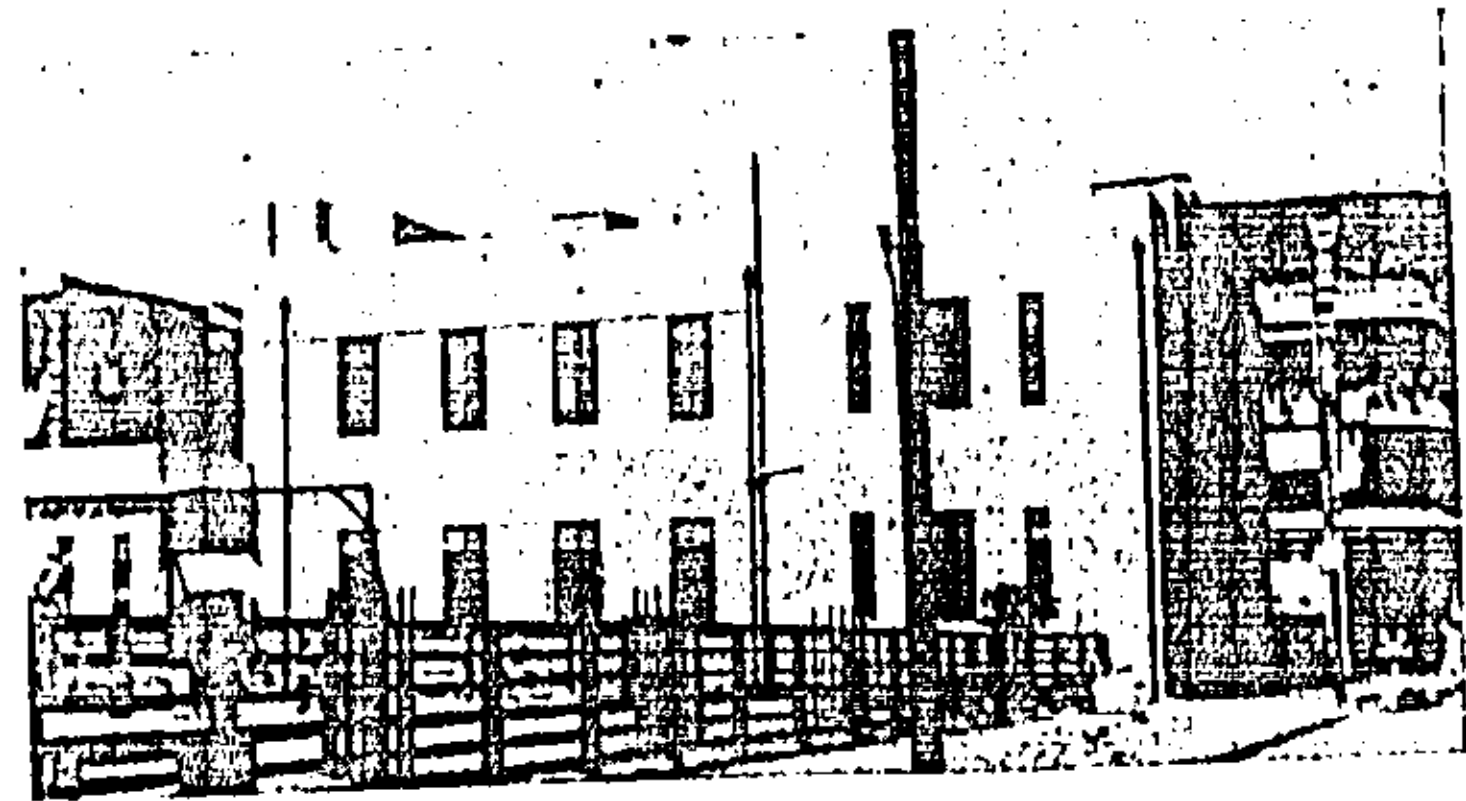
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THE SCANDAL

BY
NINA
CONARAIN



UNTIL the breath of scandal blew upon them the "Miss O'Doherty" lived a busy and important life in their three-cornered shop at the crossroads.

The window on the Carboy road was filled with such unrelated objects as spinning-tops and Epsom salts, calico and currant cakes, soap, black coils of tobacco, and school copybooks.

The window on the Kildone side was wholly given up to the display of sweetstuffs.

The Miss O'Dohertys were awe-inspiring women. Miss Annie wore her thin grey hair in a tight bun at the back of her head, but Miss Christina, the younger, had bright red hair puffed out into a hundred little curls like sausage rolls. They dressed alike in tight-fitting black silk frocks with hard, deep white collars.

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But it was not only the discomfort of the collars which made them carry their heads high. There was a gulf fixed between them and the humble peasant people they served. They were the daughters of the late Timothy O'Doherty, Esq., builder and auctioneer in the county town of Kilkenny; a man who consorted with the clergy and professional classes on their own level, a raconteur and wit of no mean reputation. If he died in the extremities of "delirium tremens," that did not matter. He died a gentleman, and there were no fewer than thirty priests at his distinguished funeral.

It is no wonder that customers stood humbly in the three-cornered shop.

But it must not be supposed that the Miss O'Dohertys were proud women. With their older customers they would stand and chat for an hour at a time. Their interest in the lives of their neighbours was so warm that they would discuss these lives with anybody down to the smallest detail.

They knew to a halfpenny what old Larkin the publican put into the travelling bank every Thursday, that Mary Cassidy had been to a consumptive hospital for six months, and not to a situation in England, as every one had supposed; they knew for a fact that the sudden death of Nat Connolly was really a case of suicide brought about by the bitter tongue of his nagging wife.

Because of all this knowledge and the power it gave to them, because of their prosperity and their fine Dublin accents the Miss O'Dohertys were the most highly respected residents of Corraghwee until the bitter weapon of scandal, which they had wielded so skillfully against others, turned its sharpness on themselves.

One Saturday the younger Miss O'Doherty disappeared. For three days Corraghwee waited humbly for an explanation from Miss Annie, but no explanation came. Then tongues were loosened. The mildly unusual became the horribly mysterious.

But it was now eight days since Miss Christina's last public act, it was remembered, was to visit the chemist's shop at the far end of the town. That was after confession on Saturday evening.

The chemist was a dry, sour little man from the north of Ireland. He could not easily be led into light conversation.

The dark rumours growing round the Miss O'Dohertys began to envelop the chemist also. On the fourth day after the disappearance of Miss Christina at least eight reputable citizens visited his shop.

In the late evening the sergeant of the Civic Guards bought a razor blade and, clearing his throat uneasily, put an unofficial but direct question.

Miss Christina O'Doherty had bought a shampoo powder on the

previous Saturday night. It was an ordinary dry shampoo of the kind she purchased regularly at intervals of three months. Corraghwee took this unsatisfactory piece of news and chewed it over. Then they abandoned the chemist and focused all their interest once more on Miss Annie and the shop.

The door bell tinkled interminably. Intermittently Miss Annie bowed her way into the shop alone.

It was noticed that the marked advance in her trade appeared to embarrass Miss Annie rather than please her. Tit-bits of gossip were offered to her like mayflies to a salmon, but she ignored them all. Elaborately casual references were made to the missing sister. Miss Annie ignored these also.

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At the end of the week the sergeant was again spurred to activity by the tongue of his wife. He was a kindly, honest man and he stood at Miss Annie's counter in embarrassment and distress.

"It is a dirty scandalous town, so it is, Miss," he said, "and it is only me duty to warn you of the talk that is going round."

Miss Annie's eyes flashed. "Let them talk. Our own business is our own."

"But if you could put out some word of explanation about Miss Christina it would be an ease, so it would," pleaded the sergeant.

"My sister is on a short visit to Dublin. Will that satisfy your gossip mongers?" Miss Annie spat at him.

Back at the barracks the sergeant shook his head. "It is a bad business, so it is. Worse than I thought."

"I knew it was," said his wife gleefully. "There was no ticket sold to Miss Christina at the station for Dublin or any other place. I found that out days ago."

"Well, I wouldn't like to be making trouble without a cause," said the sergeant. "I think I'll go up and have a word with Father Duffy."

"We'll wait a while," Father Duffy advised, "and if there is no sign of Miss Christina and no word from Miss Annie I'll go round and have a talk with her."

On Sunday at High Mass Miss Annie O'Doherty sat alone, and against the mortal sin of scandal-mongering.

* * *

But it was now eight days since any one had laid eyes on Miss Christina. In spite of the sergeant's all pretence at discretion was thrown to the winds, and the idle crowds of Sunday loungers collected at the crossroads and gave full rein to their evil imaginations.

It was easy enough to see that what was a small living for two would be a comfortable living for one; but if Miss Christina had been done away with where was the body? This opened up vistas of fascinating speculation.

Equally satisfying, if less sensational, was the theory that Miss Christina had brought trouble on herself by the encouragement of a secret lover. She was, after all, a fine upstanding woman. She might be any age between forty and forty-five, but she was well preserved. She had a grand head of red hair, and it was well known

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rather not satisfy these low people by telling them a thing. "It is not what you'd rather, Miss Annie. It must be what I command you to do."

Bursting into tears, Miss Annie begged to be excused, and left the room. A few minutes later the door reopened, and Miss Christina walked into the room. She looked pale and subdued, and wore a silk shawl drawn tightly round her head. Miss Annie followed with downcast eyes.

Father Duffy did not show any surprise. "That's a nice fright you are after giving us all," he said. "If you felt ill, Miss Christina, you had a right to call my

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self or the doctor, but to go disappearing out of a talkative place like this without a word was sheer folly. I am angry with you, and that's a fact."

"Father," said Miss Christina in a soft, and voice, "hold your anger until you hear me out. I am the victim of a strange misfortune. On Saturday week night I lost my hair, and the truth is I had not the courage to appear before the townspeople without it."

"Well, of all the yarns!" said Father Duffy, startled at last from his air of calm. "Where did you lose it, Miss Christina?"

"Father," said Miss Christina, drawing herself up with simple dignity, "it is a sad story of human weakness from start to finish. The sin and the blame are mine. Five years ago I began to go grey. God forgive me, but I rebelled against His holy decree and bought a bottle of dye."

"My punishment came swiftly," she paused dramatically, "every shred of my hair was taken from me; wither it did and rot from off my head. Bald I was as the day I was born. I was in Dublin at that time, and I went to a hairdresser in Stephen's Green—some foreigner he was—but he was clever. He made up a wig for me more beautiful than the hair I had lost."

"Every now and again," continued Miss Christina, "I used to clean it with a dry shampoo. On the Saturday night in question I did it as usual and hung it out of the top window to sweeten in the wind. But didn't that old mare of Delaney's reach up and eat it before I could turn round?"

"So that's the top and bottom of the mystery," sighed Father Duffy, taking a long pinch of snuff. "And what are you going to do now?"

"God help me, I don't know," moaned Miss Christina.

"Well, I'll tell you. You are

going to put your sinful vanity behind you and go back to the shop."

"Ah, Father," said Miss Christina, "I would rather appear before the mocking eyes of Corraghwee without my head than without my hair, and that is the truth."

They were silent for a while until Miss Annie began to weep once more under the strain. Then Father Duffy got up to take his leave.

"Well, you have my sympathy, so you have," he assured them. He took another pinch of snuff and fell into an attitude of deep thought. "Was it the little barber's shop just there off Grafton-street?" he asked at last. Miss Christina said it was.

"I know him well. And he they call him. Any time I am up in Dublin it is there I go for a shave."

"Well now, isn't that wonderful!" said Miss Christina, greatly cheered by this coincidence. "Father," she whispered tremulously, "wouldn't it be a great thing if you were to go up to Dublin soon?"

"I am going. To-morrow I'm going—to a congress, and I'll be away three days."

"Maybe you will be going to this Andre, or whatever he calls himself?"

"Are you asking me, a respectable man of God, to go carting a red wig across Ireland?" said Father Duffy sternly.

Miss Christina's eyes were shining and youthful. "Oh, Father Duffy, if you could!"

"I'm a good-natured man, so I am," said Father Duffy, "and God knows there is many a thing I have done in me time to help my people out of a trouble but to go pandering to the pomps and vanities like this . . . He shook his head, but it was a weak and indecisive shake."

On the following Sunday Miss Christina O'Doherty appeared at Mass. There was no apparent

change in her, her hair was piled up and fluffed out as usual under her flowery hat and she carried herself with pride. And this Sunday Father Duffy preached against the deadly sin of vanity.

But Corraghwee seethed with a raging and unsatisfied curiosity. Miss Christina's unaccountable fortnight's absence burned in their mean hearts like quicklime. Tongues waxed louder and louder until the reputations of the Miss O'Dohertys lay torn in shreds. Custom fell off at the shop, the till became empty.

One evening a bag of a woman loitering outside the shop was seen to give a penny to a small boy. In a voice calculated to reach the ears of the shrinking sisters within she said, "Go in there to that den of iniquity and get yourself a pennyworth of rather have it the way it is."

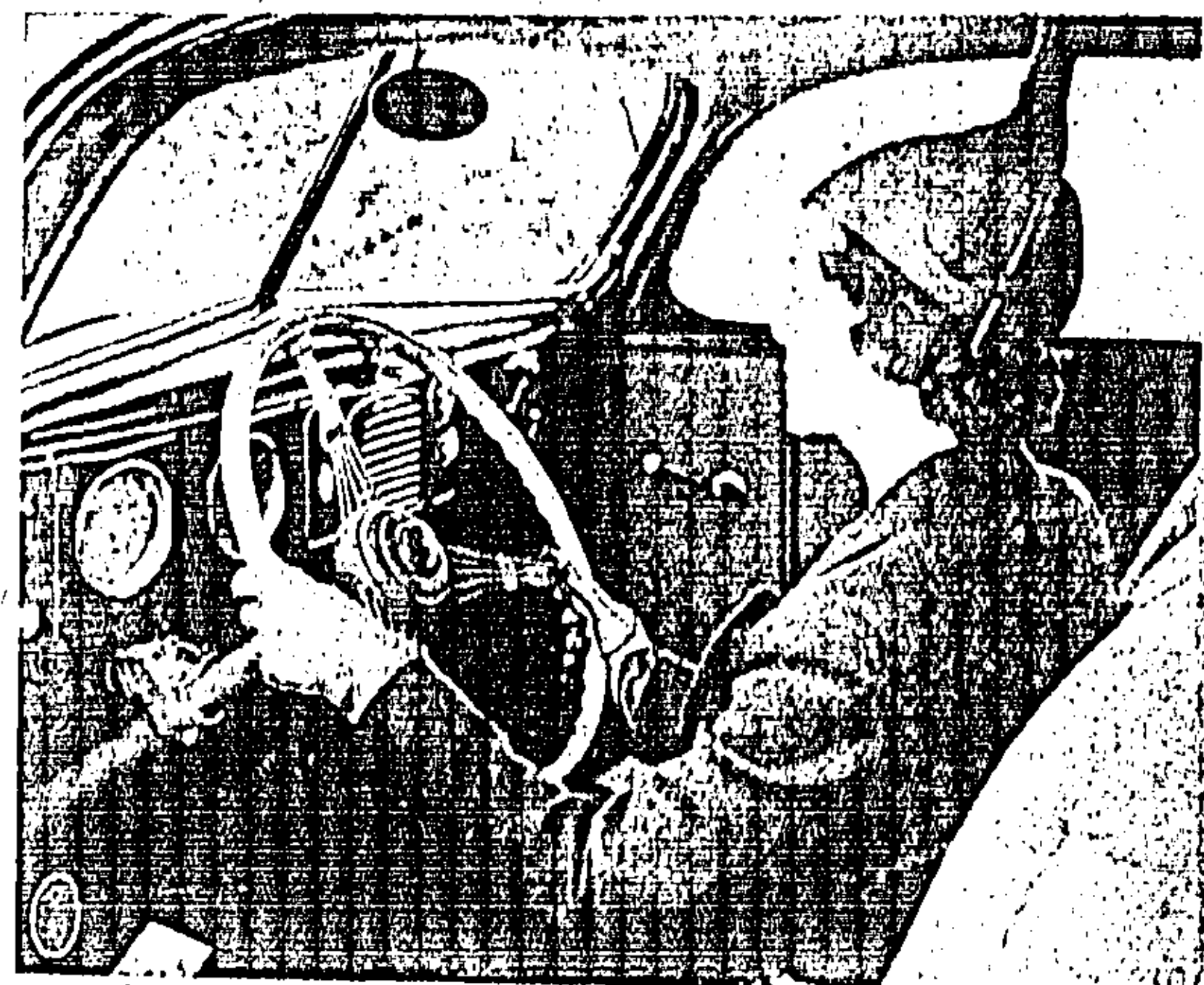
And be sure to ask Miss Christina to cut it up for you. She is a good hand at that sort of cutting up; so she is, the murdering wretch!"

The next morning when Miss Christina came to take down the shutters from the windows the name of the toffee traveller was scrawled all over them.

Soon after that the Miss O'Dohertys moved their business to a small back street in Dublin. But they are not doing well. At times of greatest poverty and depression Miss Annie will go over all the details of their downfall.

"If you could only have brought yourself to explain to Corraghwee!" she will say to her sister.

But Miss Christina shakes her head with a last gesture of defeated pride. "I couldn't, Annie," she whispers humbly. "It may be there to that den of iniquity and very wicked of me, but I would rather have it the way it is."



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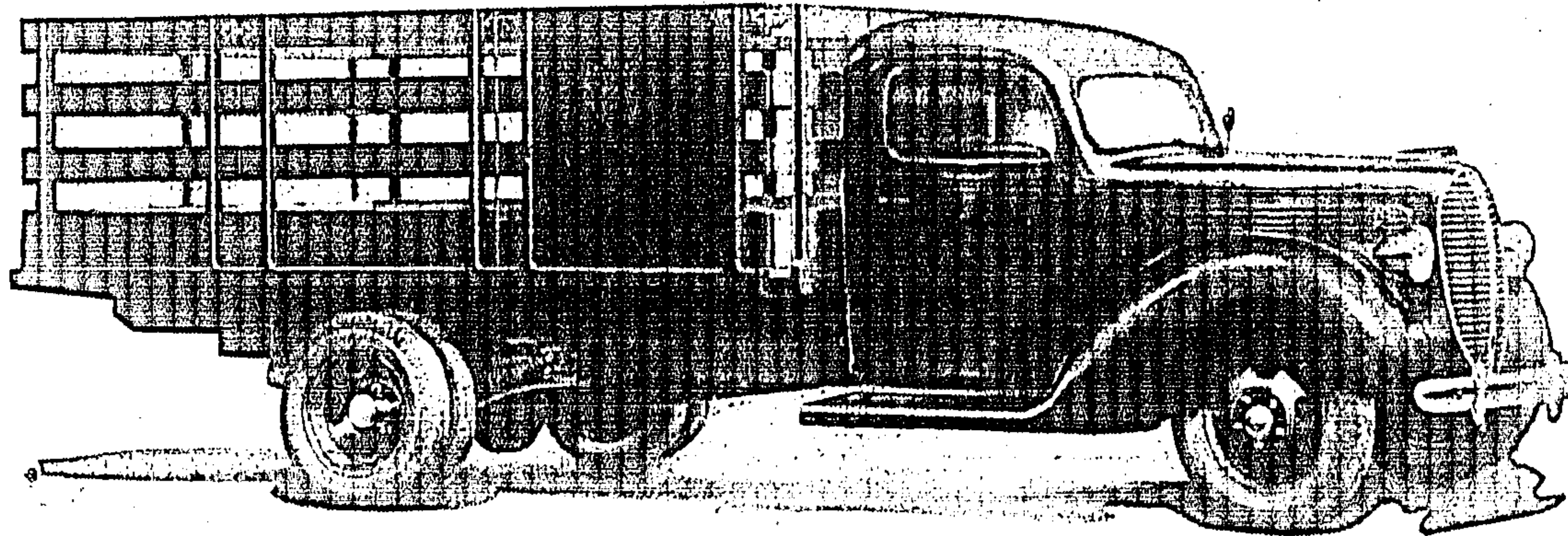
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ENTHUSIASM was spontaneous and genuine when the 1938 Ford was first shown to the public in America.

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One is a newly-styled standard Ford line, in Coupe, Tudor and Fordor body types powered either with the 85 or the 60 horsepower V-8 engine. The standard cars are designed to meet requirements of the many motor-car owners, whose means dictate maximum economy in first cost, as well as in maintenance and operating costs.

The other is a newly-designed deluxe line for owners who desire additional style and appointments. Powered with either the 85 or the 60 horsepower V-8 engine, the line includes eight body types, the coupe, Tudor and Fordor sedans, as well as the club coupe, convertible cabriolet, club convertible cabriolet, convertible sedan and the phaeton.

SAME IMPROVED CHASSIS

The two lines of cars have the same improved V-8 chassis, but their styling is distinctly different.

The de luxe cars are larger in appearance. The hood has been lengthened. Its nearly vertical front is carried in a "V" well down into the radiator grille, with the familiar V-8 emblem at the tip of the "V". Horizontal lines of the grille bars and the louvers are echoed in a bright rustless steel band which is carried along the belt to the rear.

The new standard line cars also present a larger appearance, with a newly-designed front end, grille, hood and fenders. The front end is formed in a "V" with horizontal grille bars extending unbroken along the hood side to form the louvers.

Fenders in both cars are massive, formed lower to provide more complete coverage of the running gear and extending farther back. Headlamps are again recessed in front fender aprons, new type tall lamps in the tips of rear fenders.

Interiors of the two cars are roomy and attractive, styled in keeping with the exteriors. The de luxe sedan interiors are larger.

TWO DIFFERENT FINISHES

A new instrument panel adds measurably to the beauty of the front compartment. The panel of the de luxe line cars is in walnut grain finish, that of the standard line cars in mahogany finish.

Instruments are arranged in two groups directly in front of the driver. In the middle of the panel is a grille, for radio speaker installation when specified. At the right is a glove compartment. In de luxe cars a lock is provided for the compartment and a clock is recessed in the compartment door.

Instruments in both cars are light-

ed by improved fringe illumination, designed to provide safer lighting for night driving. Interior lights are located on the right and left pillars of the sedans and over the rear windows of coupes.

Steering wheels of the de-luxe cars are of flexible multiple steel spoke type, with hubs of rich brown baked material and rims of lighter contrasting colour. Standard car steering wheels are of three-spoke type, finished in beige. The upper spokes are widely spaced to give the driver unobstructed view of the instrument dials.

Night-driving safety is also increased by addition of a headlamp beam control on the toeboard of both lines. The control is operated by the foot. A tell-tale light on the instrument panel indicates the position of the beams, whether high or depressed.

ROOM FOR SIX

Both front and rear seats are wide enough for three persons. Seat cushions and backs are finished in piping and pillow treatment. In the de-luxe cars the finish is set off with rows of ornamental buttons. Ash trays are recessed in rear seat arm rests of the de-luxe closed sedans.

One of the unusual new features is the front seat of Tudor sedans. The seat cushion is full width. Seat backs are divided, each being hinged diagonally so as to swing inward as it is tipped forward. This provides a wide passageway on either side for entrance to the rear compartment.

VENTILATION ASSET

Clear vision ventilation is continued in all closed bodies. Rear quarter windows of de-luxe Fordor sedans and club coupes are pivoted for additional ventilation.

Bodies of both car lines are all-steel. There is no metal-to-metal contact between body and frame, the result of thorough use of insulation. Safety glass is used throughout in windshield, doors and windows.

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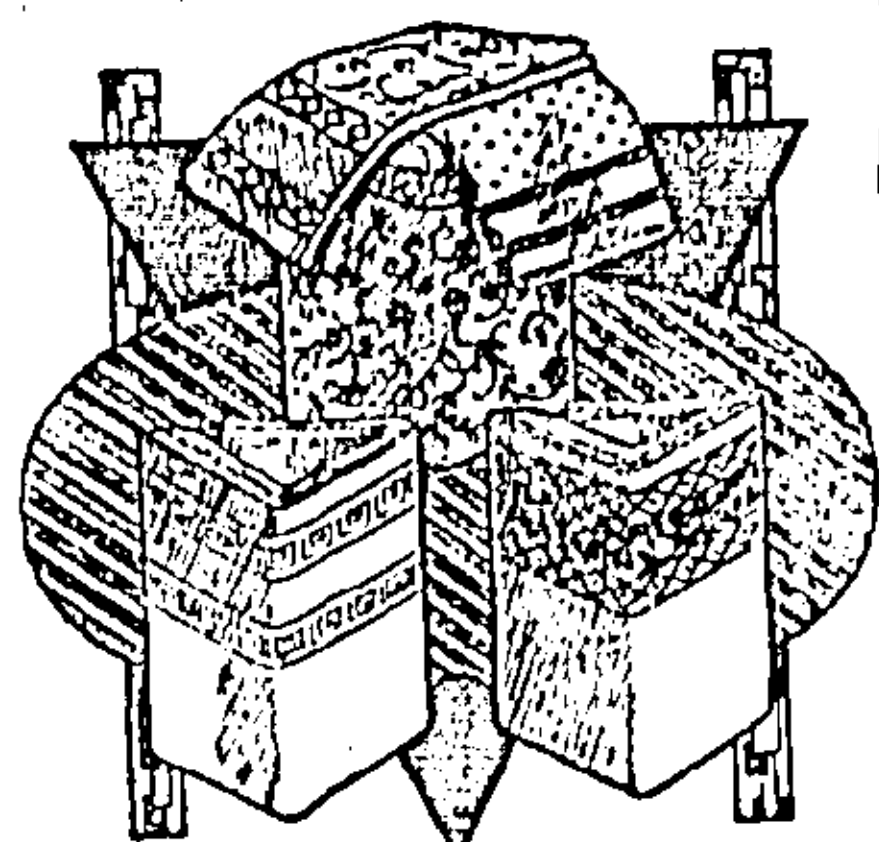
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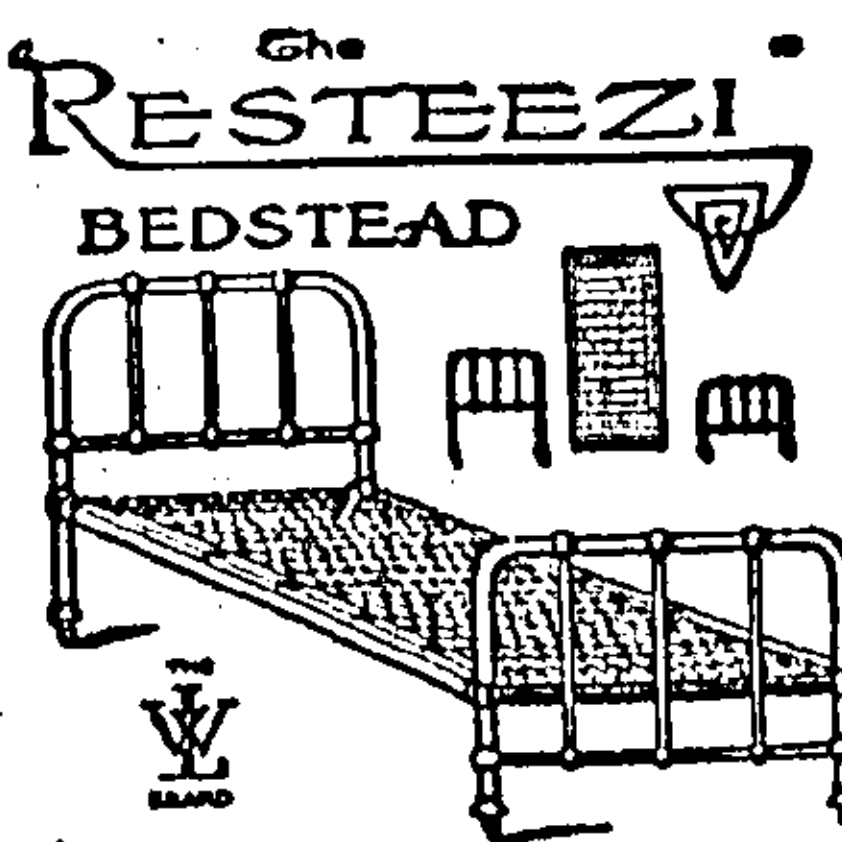


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JAPANESE YELLOW RIVER CLAIM REFUTED

Hankow, Yesterday.

The Japanese claim that Japan-
ese detachments crossed the Yel-
low River on Thursday in the
vicinity of Hochu, in north-western
Shansi, and occupied villages on
the west bank of the river in
north-eastern Shensi, is repudiated
in a communique issued by Chi-
nese Headquarters here to-day.

"About 3,000 Japanese troops
attempted to cross the Yellow
River near Hochu on Thursday,"
the communique states, "but were
repulsed by the Chinese forces
defending the west bank of the
river."

"The Japanese retreated to-
wards Wuhuchang, south of
Hochu."
"Meanwhile, a Chinese detach-
ment has re-occupied Paochih,
south-west of Hochu, on the east
bank of the Yellow River."

CHINESE CUT
Chinese military observers here
believe that the Japanese forces
in Shansi will find it impossible
to cross the Yellow River be-
cause their lines of communication
in the rear have been cut off by
Chinese mobile columns.

Referring to the situation on
the Tientsin-Pukow Railway
front, the Chinese communique
states: "In the northern T.P.R.
sector the Japanese attacked the
Chinese positions but were later
repulsed. The Japanese at Lingyi
are now constructing defence
works and are apparently chang-
ing their tactics from offensive
to defensive."—Reuter.

ARRESTED RUSSIANS EXECUTED?

Shanghai, Yesterday.
According to messages from
Tientsin, two Russians have
been arrested accused of hav-
ing attempted to blow up a
train-load of war materials on
the Tientsin-Pukow Line about
half a mile from the city a few
days ago.

According to Japanese re-
ports, the two men are still in
custody, but it is believed that
they were executed a few days
after their arrest. — Our Own
Correspondent.

CHINESE AERIAL ACTIVITY

Shanghai, Yesterday.
A large fleet of Chinese planes
visited the Chengchow area
again this morning. Japan-
ese military positions were heav-
ily bombed. All planes returned
to their base safely.—Our Own
Correspondent.

BIRTH

LANDAU.—At Matilda Hospital,
Hong Kong, on 12th March,
1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Emilie
Landau, a son. (Singapore
papers please copy).

ENGAGEMENT

The engagement is announced
of Miss Norah Didsbury, eldest
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B.
Didsbury, of Stanley, and Mr.
Leslie D. Skinner, only son of Mr.
and Mrs. W. A. Skinner, of Erith,
Kent, England.

CHUNG SHAN- COAST SHELLED

Canton, Yesterday.

Reports from the Chung Shan
District state that Japanese war-
ships engaged in manoeuvres
began firing live shells at the
coast early this morning. Sever-
al houses have been struck, but
fortunately no one has been
killed or wounded.—Our Own
Correspondent.

M. BLUM'S QUEST FOR BROAD-BASED GOVERNMENT

Paris, Yesterday.

M. Leon Blum this morning
appeared before the National
Council of the Social-Democratic
Party to ask if the party is in
favour of extending the Govern-
ment majority beyond the Popu-
lar Front parties towards the
Right.

The result is not yet known.
A solution of the French politi-
cal deadlock is not yet in
sight, though events in Austria
will undoubtedly hasten forma-
tion of a new Government.

M. Leon Blum wants to in-
clude all Republican deputies in
his Government.
The question of currency con-
trol seems to be the main snag
in M. Blum obtaining the co-
operation of all the Leftist par-
ties, while the demand for in-
tervention in Spain and the Far
East, which has been one of the
slogans of the Communists, seems
to present another diffi-
culty.

It appears, however, that an-
other Government of the Popu-
lar Front, in some form or an-
other, will be the result of M.
Blum's negotiations. — Trans-
Ocean.

TERRITORIAL ARMY RANKS SWELLING

London, Yesterday.

Another recruiting record for
the Territorial Army was estab-
lished last month. In February,
the strength of the Territorial
Army rose by 79 officers and
2,979 other ranks and its total
strength is now 9,183 officers
and 162,782 other ranks.

During the month 5,678 re-
cruits were enlisted, being an
increase of 702 over the corre-
sponding month of last year and
a record for any February since
the Territorial Army was re-
formed after the war. Recruit-
ing for the anti-aircraft units
was very good. — British Wire-
less.

MORE ACTIVITY IN SOUTH CHINA

Shanghai, Yesterday.

Unconfirmed reports suggest
that several additional war-
ships, including over 100 planes,
are shortly to be despatched to
South China.
Air fields are being construct-
ed on most of the islands in
South China waters now in the
hands of the Japanese fleet.
— Our Own Correspondent.

TOMMY FARR GIVEN BAD BEATING BY NO PLAYBOY MAX BAER

New York, Yesterday.

A capacity crowd saw Tommy Farr's hopes of
another world heavyweight boxing title fade
last night when in a 15-round eliminating
bout, the Welshman was defeated by Max
Baer, former world champion, on points.
Farr took terrific punishment from Baer, who
showed the form with which he won the
world title from Primo Carnera.

The British champion was floor-
ed for a count of one in the sec-
ond round, and went down for a
count of six in the third round.

Baer was a clear winner in a
stirring battle. Farr was very
game and fought back with great
grit, but his punches lacked force.
Baer's ringside expert gave
Baer ten rounds, Farr four and
one even. The referee's verdict
was 13 to Baer and two to Farr,
and one judge, 11 rounds to Baer,
three to Farr and one even, and
the other judge, nine to Baer, five
to Farr and one even.

TERRIFIC PACE
The fight was fought at a ter-
rific pace amid a constant uproar.
The boxers several times failed to
hear the bell and went on fighting,
having to be separated by the re-
feree.

Both fighters were booed on
their way to the ring, but were
cheered loudly after the fight.

Farr had a badly cut right
eye and his cheeks were bleed-
ing while Baer's left eye was
closed.

Farr weighed in at 14 stone
12½ lbs. and Baer at 15 stone
2 lbs.

BAER ELATED.
The Welshman was disconsolate
and said he would like to meet
Baer again. The American was
full of elation at the prospect of
another shot at the heavyweight
title.

Farr was disappointed that he
was unable to celebrate his
twenty-fourth birthday to-day
with a victory.

The crowd was intense with ex-
citement from the start. Baer won
the first two rounds, getting in
with right uppercuts and tough
rights to the body, Farr replying
with hooks to the head and jabs.

Baer hooked viciously to the
head several times and shook the
Welshman.

FARR FLOORED
The third round opened sen-
sationally, Baer flooring Farr with
a right to the head.

Farr was taking the heaviest
punishment in his career and
was obviously shaken, but to-
wards the end of the round the
Welshman scored as he liked
and the round ended even.

Farr lived up in the fourth,
winning the round, but Baer took
the next five.

Farr again brightened up in the
tenth, forcing Baer to cover up
under a barrage of head punches.

Baer won the eleventh round in
spite of seeming chary of using
his right which was causing him
some trouble.

FARR'S FINISH
Farr won the twelfth, causing
Baer to look worried, but the
American badly shook Farr in the
thirteenth round with strong
rights to the head. Farr's legs
weakened but Baer failed to fol-
low up.

Baer took the fourteenth and
Farr the fifteenth, and last, round.
— Reuter.

BEER FOR SALE

Vienna, Yesterday.

Prohibition of the sale of alco-
holic drinks, which had been de-
creed by the Schuschnigg Govern-
ment for to-day and to-morrow
throughout Austria, in view of
the plebiscite, was rescinded this
morning.—Trans-Ocean.

VILLA TOO GOOD FOR COVENTRY

UPSETS IN ALL
DIVISIONS

RANGERS BEATEN AGAIN

London, Yesterday.

The following are the results of
Home football matches played to-
day.

FIRST DIVISION

Birmingham	2	M'chester C.	2
Charlton	4	Huddersfield	0
Chelsea	0	Bolton	0
Grimaby	1	Wolves	0
Leeds	0	Leicester	2
Liverpool	4	Sunderland	0
M'clebrough	2	Arsenal	1
Portsmouth	4	Brentford	1
Preston	2	Everton	1
Stoke	1	Blackpool	3
W. Bromwich	4	Derby	2

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley	0	Blackburn	0
Burnley	2	Swansea	0
Bury	3	Norwich	1
Coventry	0	Aston Villa	1
Luton	1	Southampton	3
Manchester U.	1	Fulham	0
Newcastle	2	West Ham	0
Notts F.	1	Bradford	0
Sheffield U.	0	Plymouth	1
Stockport	2	Wednesday	1
Tottenham	2	Chesterfield	0

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bournemouth	0	Bristol C.	0
Brighton	1	Newport	0
Bristol R.	1	Swindon	2
Cardiff	1	Watford	1
Clapton	1	Reading	1
Mansfield	2	Aldershot	0
Northampton	1	Exeter	0
Queen's Pk.	2	Notts C.	1
Southend	2	Crystal P.	2
Torquay	1	Millwall	1
Walsal	3	Gillingham	1

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Accrington	3	N. Brighton	1
Bradford C.	3	Crewe	1
Carlisle	1	Gateshead	0
Chester	1	Hull	3
Doncaster	2	Wrexham	0
Halifax	2	Oldham	1
Rochdale	2	Hartlepool	2
Rotherham	4	Lincoln	0
Southport	2	Barrow	0
Tranmere	1	Darlington	1
York City	2	Port Vale	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Arbroath	2	Hamilton	0
Ayr	1	Hibernian	1
Clyde	0	Queen O'S	0
Hearts	2	Aberdeen	1
Kilmarnock	2	Rangers	1
Morton	1	Queen's Pk.	1
Motherwell	1	Dundee	1
Partick	1	Celtic	0
St. Johnstone	0	Falkirk	0
Third Lanark	1	St. Mirren	0
Unplayed.			

SECOND DIVISION

Airdrie	7	F'far	2
Alloa	2	East Fife	1
Cowdenbenth	2	St. Bernard's	2
Dumbarton	4	Dunfermline	1
Dundee	3	Brechin	4
King's Park	4	Montrose	3
Leith	1	Edinburgh	1
Rath Rovers	4	Albion	1
Stenmuir	5	East Stirling	2

AMATEUR INTERNATIONAL

Scotland	2	England	5
(At Hampden Park)			
Wales	11	Ireland	5
(At Swansea)			

— Reuter.

[No correction had been received
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Twenty-seven further cases of
smallpox, including ten from Vic-
toria and 13 from Kowloon, were
reported by the Health Depart-
ment yesterday.

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TRANS-ATLANTIC AIR SERVICE

Dublin, Yesterday.

A technical conference regard-
ing the forthcoming trans-Atlan-
tic air service is being held in
Dublin.

Representatives of Britain,
Canada, the United States, Ire-
land, Imperial Airways and Pan-
American Airways are attending
the conference.—Reuter.

LONDON SILVER MARKET

London, Yesterday.

London silver prices to-day were
up 1/16 as follows:—

	March	11	12
Spot	20-5/16	20-3/8	
Forward	19-15/16	20	

— Our Own Correspondent.